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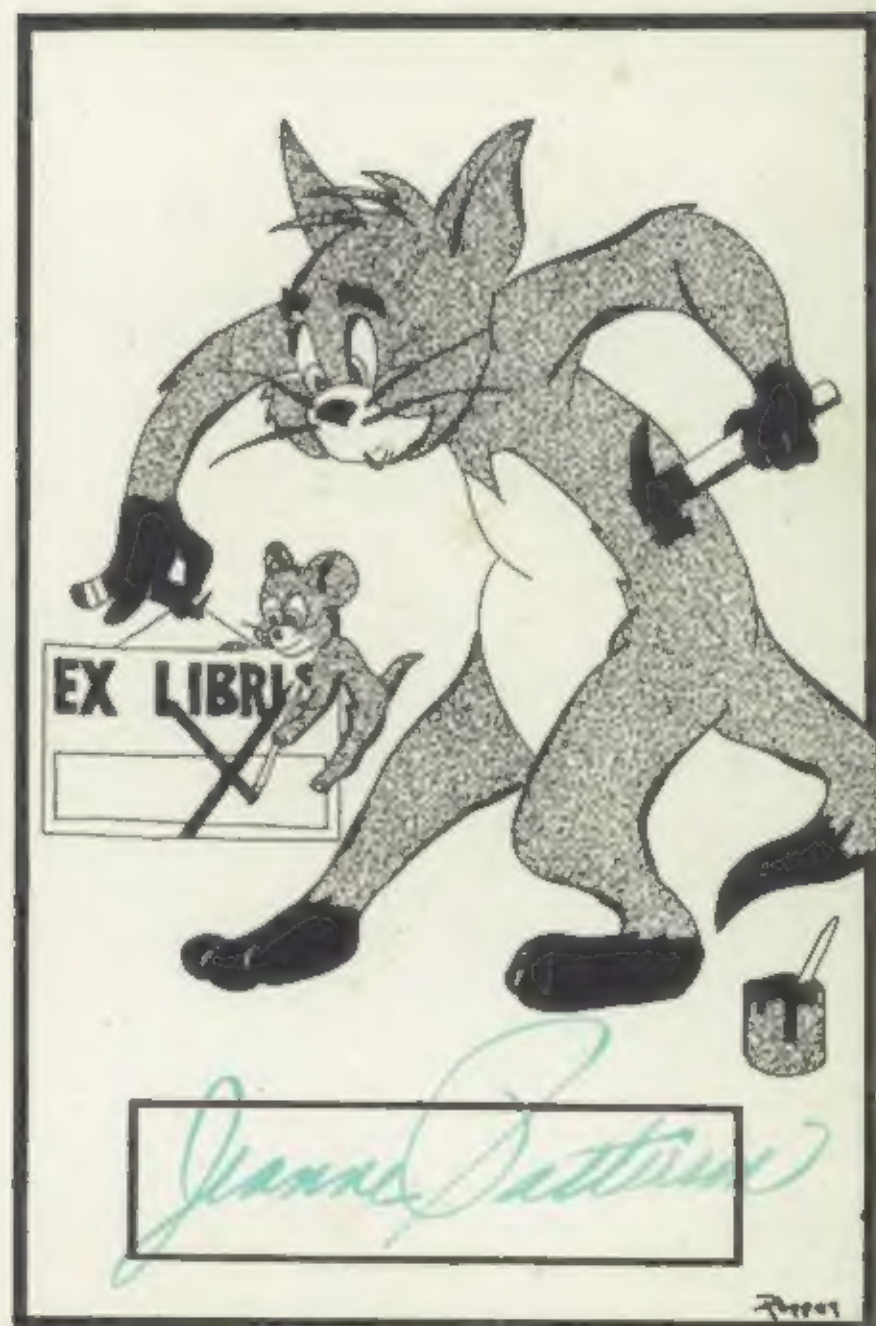
Columbian








Best of luck to one
of the sweetest girls I know
Jeanne, who has been great fun moving
we've had lots of fun
few years and I'll never
forget them. Remember for all your
in Hance's Class. Thanks for all your help in
helping my problems, we've both had them.
Jeanne, I'll never forget the night of the
Junior Prom and thanks for all your help in
trying to make it a memorable one for me; I sure has
been. You have a winning personality and when
stop being the life of the party. There is never a dull moment, don't
always have as much fun as you've had this year
along with Marty. He's a swell guy, and I suppose I'll follow
just to be different - I'm only kidding. Good luck always
Jeanne, and don't ever change, because you
have one of the nicest personalities of any
Junior and we couldn't do
without you.
Keep smiling,
Love,
Jonna



1957


EAST GREENWICH CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL





THE
SENIOR
CLASS
PRESENTS

COLUMBIAN



Columbia High School
East Greenbush
New York



FOREWORD

The festal procession came to a halt, their torches flickering in the gloom. The expectant elves assembled around the gnome wearing the most wizen visage. Once again they would hear a Midsummer Night's tale of wonder. "Be still, my fellow sprites and ye shadowy spirits," said he. "Tonight I unfold to you a story of marvels past all knowing. 'Twas in the fall of 1956 that a band of valiant knights and winsome damsels crossed the drawbridge of Columbia Castle and entered the labyrinth of another school year. This is what happened."



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DEDICATION

We, the Class of 1957, dedicate the 1957 COLUMBIAN to Mrs. Lucy DeNuzzo and Mr. Daniel Corr as a token of our deepest appreciation for the time, effort, and advice they have so gladly given. "Doc" Corr has been with us for three years during which time he has inspired us with his interest and confidence in the class and his untiring guidance in all we have undertaken. We were most fortunate to have Mrs. DeNuzzo as our class adviser during our busy senior year. She has won our gratitude for doing a truly wonderful job.



SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Class of 1957:

Any success you have had in Columbia High School has resulted basically from your own desire for self improvement, your curiosity for learning, and your industry.

In the future, your efforts should continue to be directed toward your own self-development and the improvement of the community in which you may live. If you do these things, the great investment that has been made in your education will be repaid.

May I wish you each my personal best wishes for your future success and happiness

HOWARD L. GOFF,
Superintendent.



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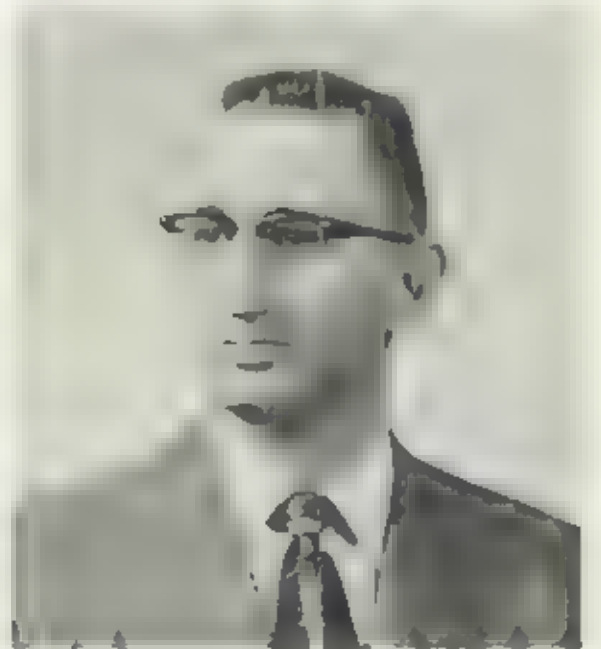
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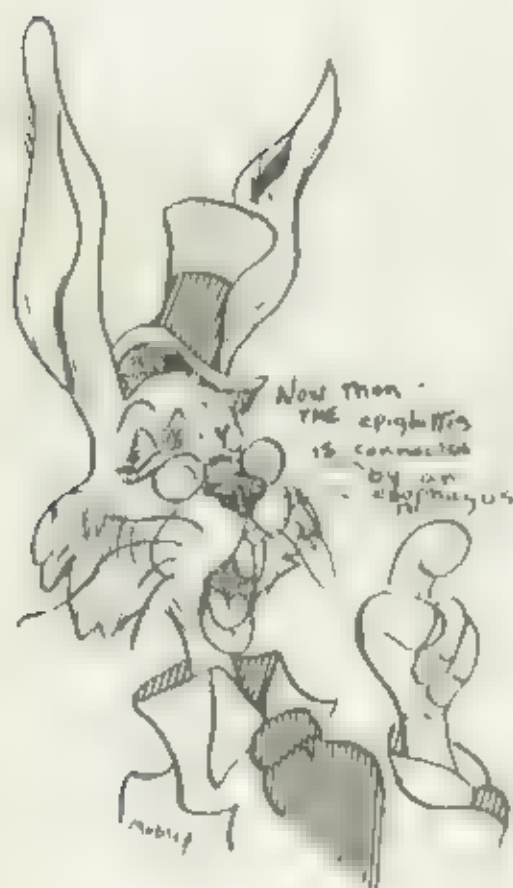
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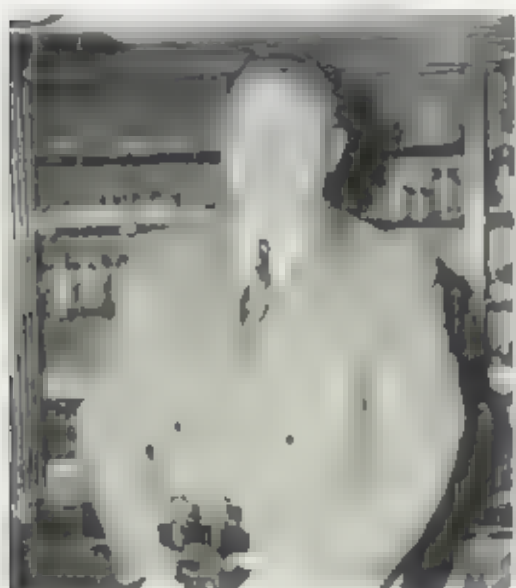


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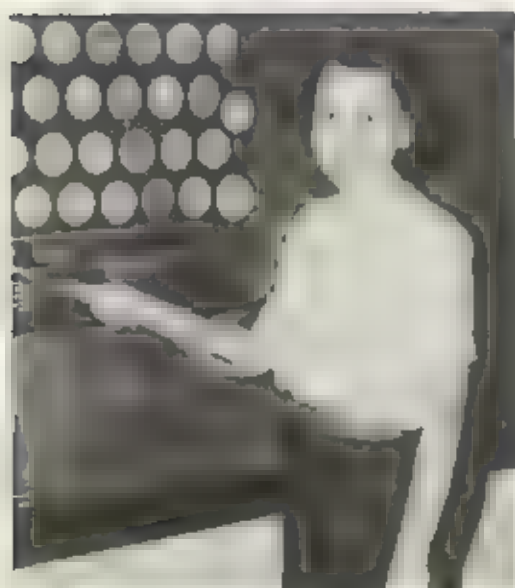
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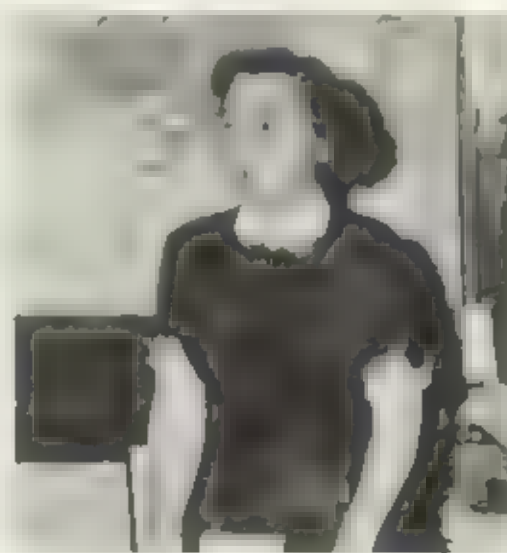
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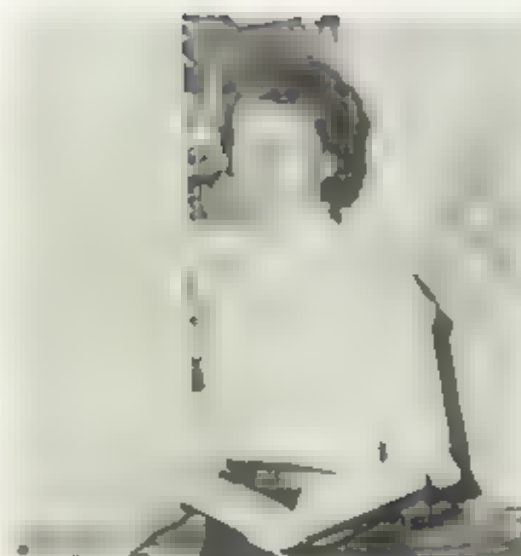
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Best wishes Jeanne

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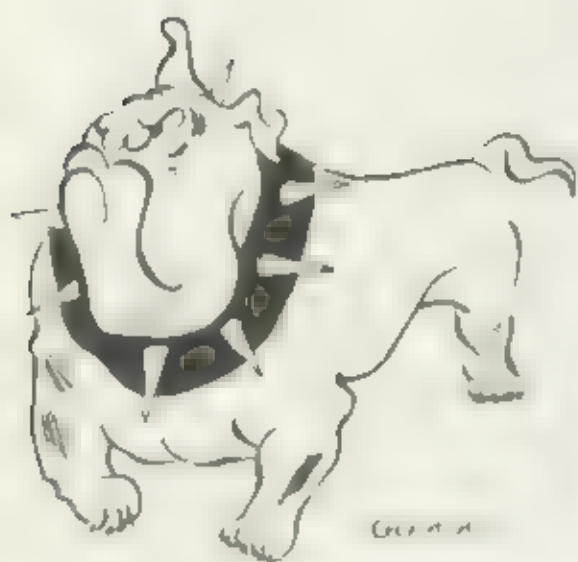
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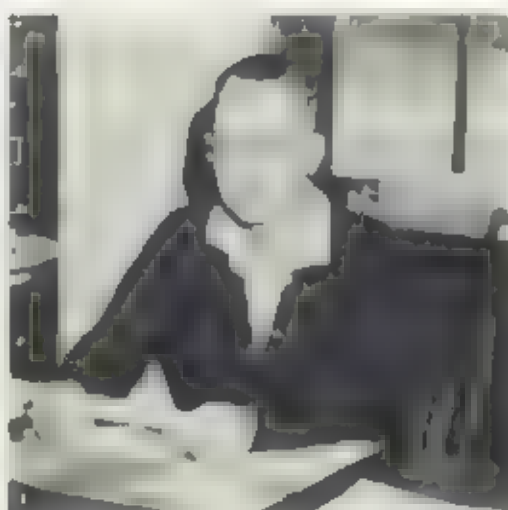
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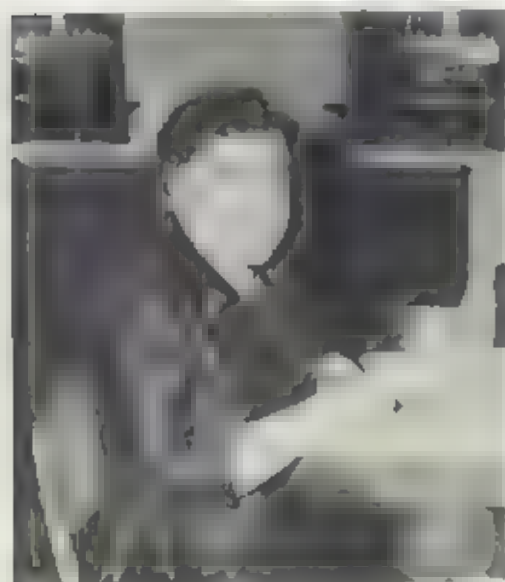
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CRISTY TRUSS



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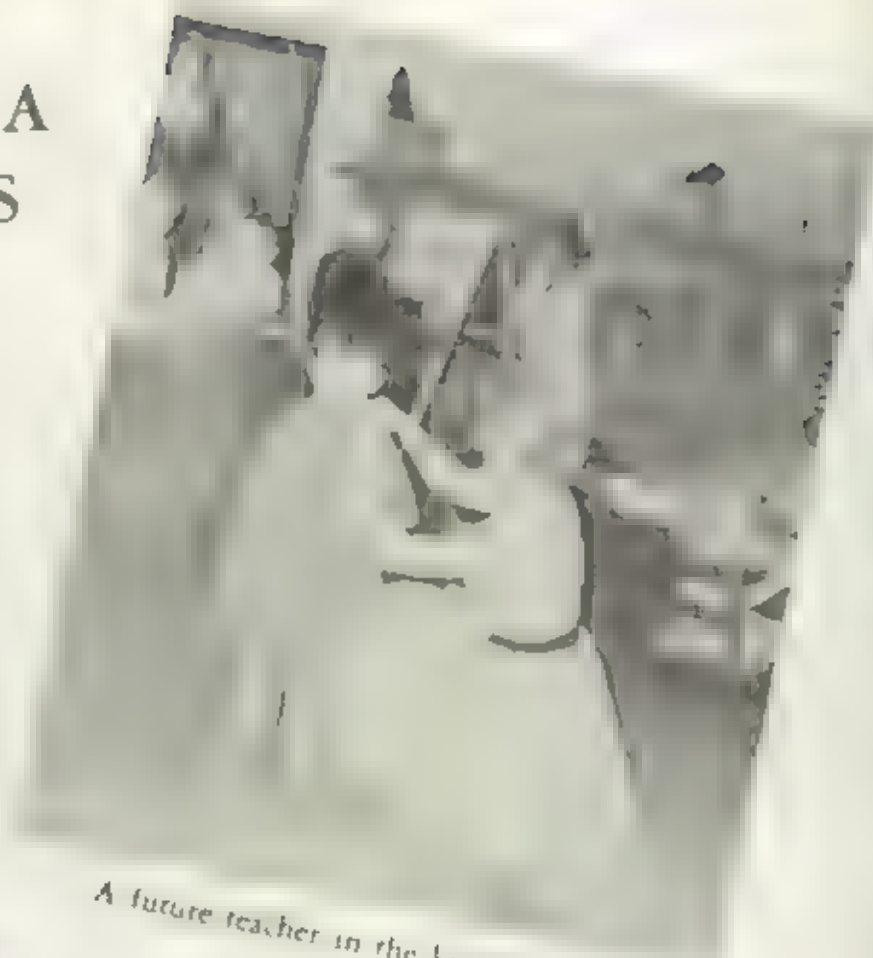
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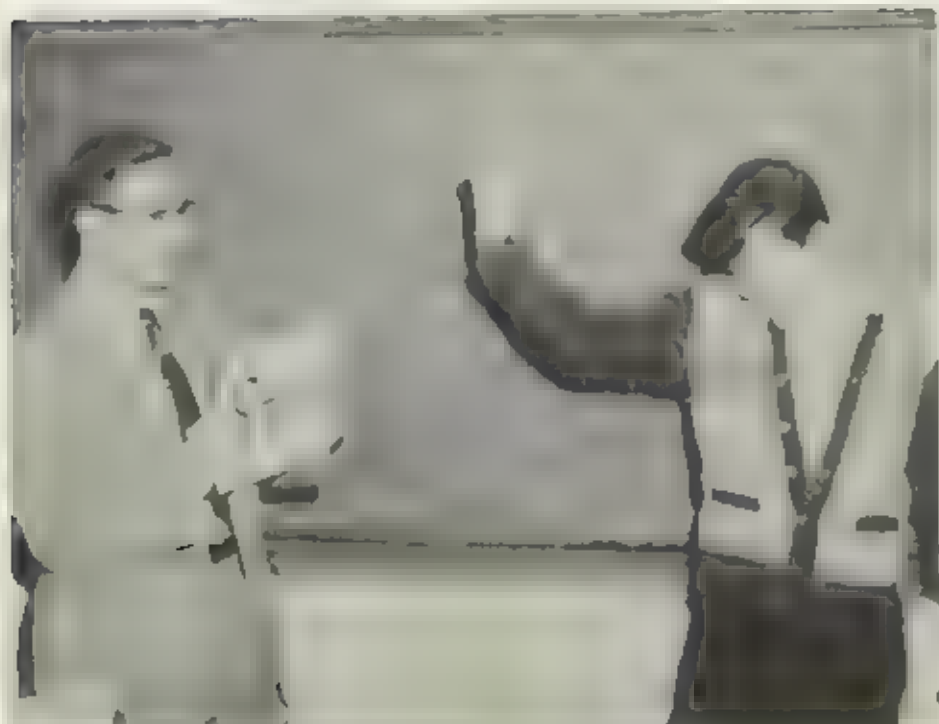
Miss Shapiro awarded life membership by Parent Teachers in P.T.A.



Our parents go to school



Instruction in basketball strategy



Seniors



CLASS OFFICERS



The success and happiness of our senior year has been largely due to the combined effort of our capable class officers and advisers. Their careful organization, encouragement, and cooperation have proved valuable reminders of our own duties. They deserve much credit for their role in the accomplishments and successful record of the Class of 1957.

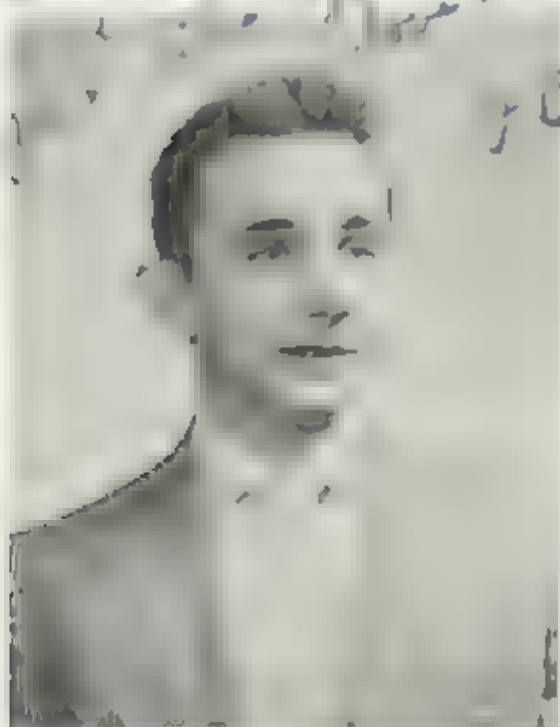
CLASS ADVISERS



MRS. LUCY DeNUZZO



MR. DANIEL CORR



DAVID ADAMS
"Abbot"

Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1; Football 2; Basketball 1; Varsity Club 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Co-Captain, Track 4; Dance Committees; Senior Play; Intramurals; Senior Tea Committee



FRED ALBERT
"Fred"

Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Year Book Committee; Dance Committee 3



PETER ANDERSON
"Pete"

Senior Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 1, 2; Projection Club 2, 3; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Freshman Basketball 1; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Competition "A" 1, 2, 3, 4



BRENDA ASWAD
"Ozzie"

I.R.C. 1, 2; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Radio Club 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Jazz Band 4; Year Book Staff; Basketball Cheerleader 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Co-Chairman, Junior Prom Court; Sno-Ball Court; Senior Play 4; Music Competition 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Committee; Junior Ring Chairman, Athletic Board 4



FRANKLIN BARIES
"Frank"

Track 1, 2, 3; Historical Club 1; Stage Crew 2; Dance Committees; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee



CHARLES BARKIE
"Charlie"

Chorus 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 2; Dance Committees



RUTH BARNER

"Putter"

Cheerleading 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 4; Dance Committees; Senior Play Committee.



LEONARD BASTIAN

"Buzz"

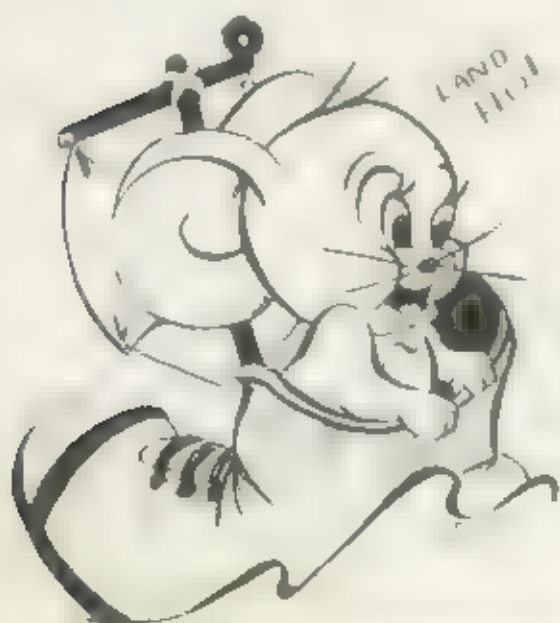
I.R.C. 3; Chorus 1; Senior Tea Committee; Dance Committees; Junior Prom Committee



JACQUELINE BAUTH

"Jackie"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 1, 2, 3; Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Year Book Staff; Junior Ring Committee; Junior Prom Co-Chairman; Junior Prom Court; Sno-Ball Co-Chairman; Executive Committee 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Board; Dance Committees; Senior Play Committee; National Honor Society 2, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4



JUDITH BAUER

"Judy"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Historical Club 1; Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3; I.R.C. 1; Intramurals 1, 2; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3.



ERNEST BAZAN

"Ernie"



CAROL BEARUP

"Carol"

I.R.C. 1, 2; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Cross Roads Gem Assistant Mechanical Editor 4; Senior Play Committee; Gregg Short-hand Award.

A black and white portrait of a young man with short, dark hair, wearing a dark suit jacket, a white shirt, and a dark tie. He is looking slightly to the right of the camera with a neutral expression. The background is a plain, light color.

"Houndy"

President Junior High Student Council 1; Varsity Club 3, 4; Varsity Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Court; Junior Ring Committee; Sno-Ball Court 2, 4; Projection Crew 2, 3; Student Council 2; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Chorus 4



"Ben"

Year Book Committee



JOSEPH BILSER

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My homework?
But I did
YA - I left
it home



"Rem"

Chorus 3, 4; Spanish Club 3; Photography Club 1, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee.



"Bib"

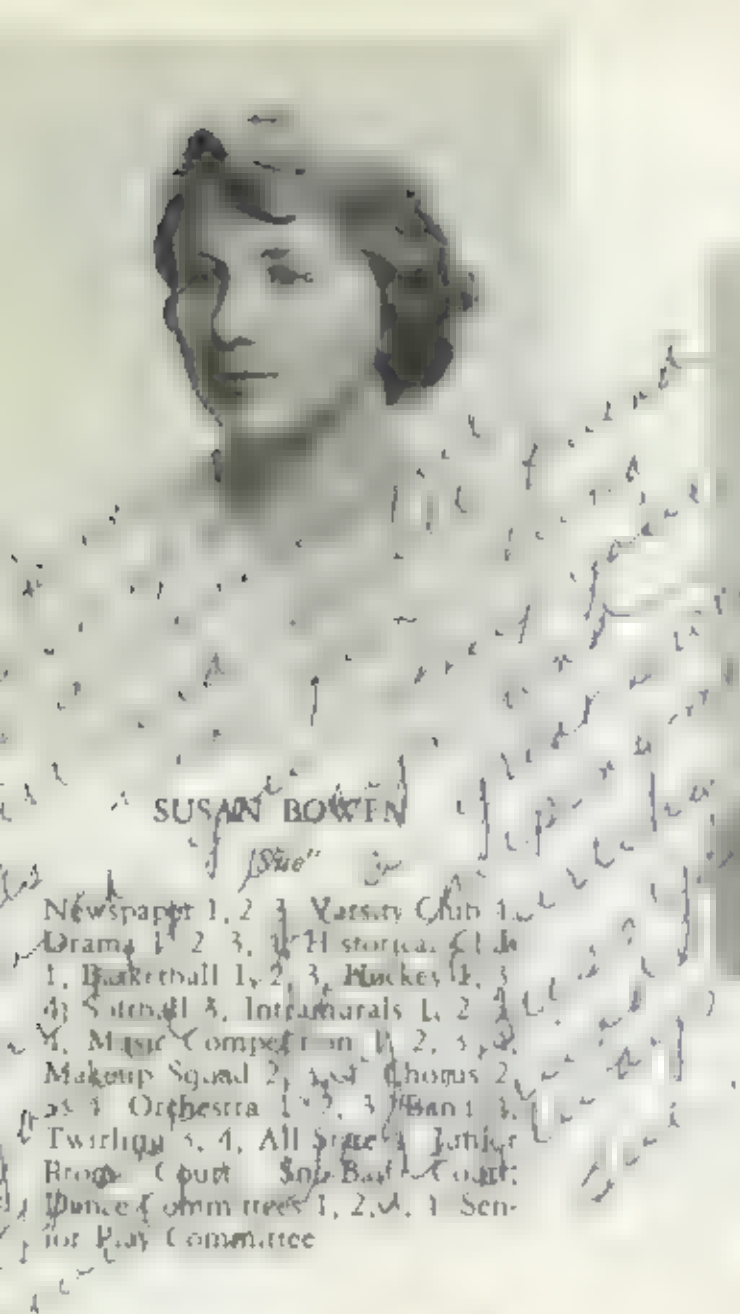
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"Blair's"

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.

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SUSAN BOWEN

"Sue"

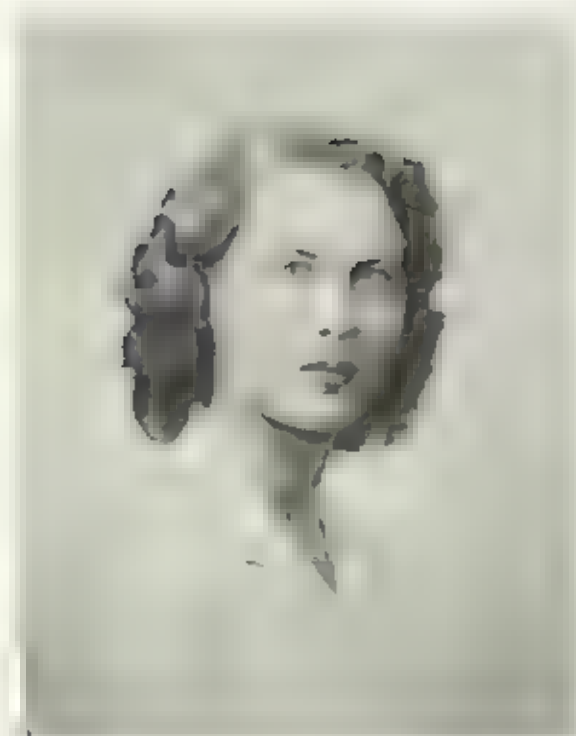
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Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Historical Club
1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3;
4; Softball 3; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4;
Music Competition 1, 2, 3, 4;
Makeup Squad 2; Chorus 2;
Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3;
Twirlers 3, 4; All State 1; Junior
Prom Court; Senior Prom Court;
Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior
Play Committee



PATRICIA BROOKS

"Pat"

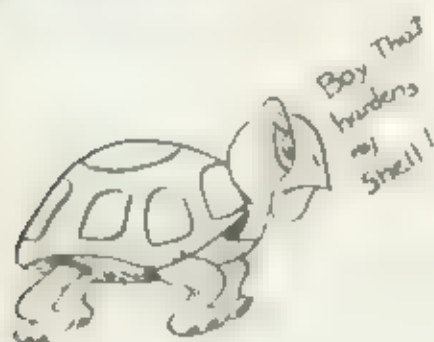
Tennis 1; Class President 1; Senior
Play Committees; Dance Commit-
tees 2, 3, 4; Executive Committee
3; President Teenage Book Club
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"Phyll"

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Com-
mittees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Com-
mittee; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4.



CHARLES BRUDER

"Toady"

Stage Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Radio Club
1, 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 1, 2,
3, 4; Library Club 1; Music Com-
petition 1, 2, 3, 4; All State 1, 2;
Junior Ring Committee; Band 1,
2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Dance
Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



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"Pat"

Chorus 4; I.R.C. 2, 3; Drama 3, 4;
Senior Play Committee; Dance
Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Historical
Club 1.



CAROLE CAMPETELLE

"Carole"

Newspaper 3, 4; I.R.C.; Intramur-
als 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3; Competi-
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Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4;
Gregg Shorthand Award.



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Senior Play Committee, Year Book Committee



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"Blacky"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Court; Sno-Ball Court, Chorus 4, Dance Committees 3, 4, Senior Play Committee



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Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3; Competition 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



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"Dix"

Drama 1; Chorus 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Senior Tea Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



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"Bobbie"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football Cheerleading 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Gregg Shorthand Award



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"Bob"

Baseball 1; J.V. 2, 3; Varsity Club 4; Chorus 4; Historical Club 1; Cross Country 4; Basketball 4.



JACK CONWAY

"Jack"

Photography Club 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Historical Club 1; I.R.C. 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 3; Debate Club 3, 4; President 4; Dance Committees 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee.



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"Sherry"

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"Fred"

I.R.C. 1, 2, 3; Historical Club 1; Year Book Staff; Senior Play Dance Committees 1, 2



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I.R.C. 2, 3; F.H.A. 2, 3; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Library Club 4; Historical Club 1; Intramurals 3; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Ring Committee



MARY LOUISE DEGROAT

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LOCKWOOD DE WITT

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EDWARD DEYO

"Eddie"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Bands 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARY K. DOLLARD

"Kay"

Relay Club 3; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2, 3; Junior Prom Committee; Dance Committees 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 3; Intramurals 2.



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"Carol"

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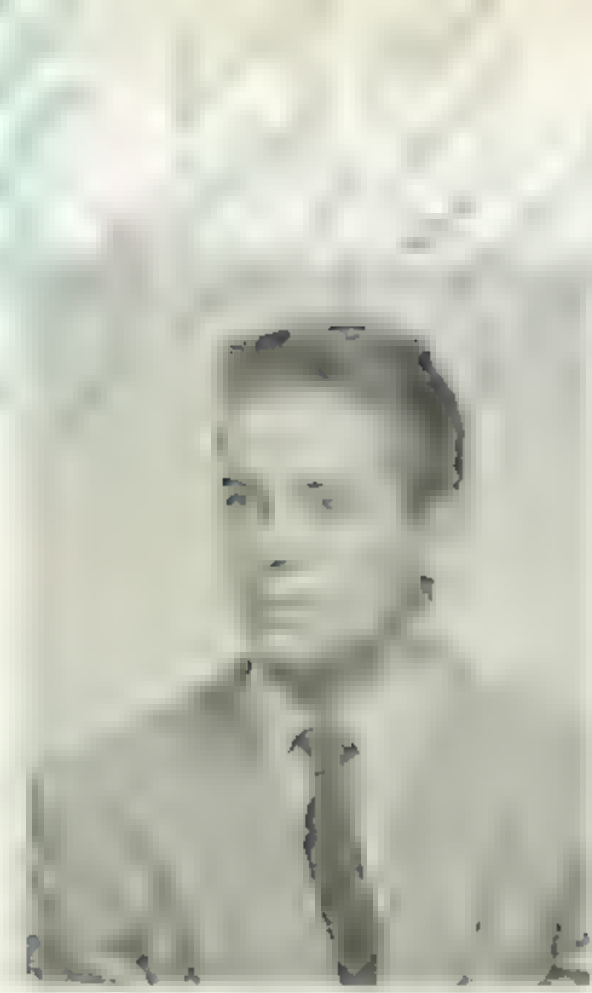


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Pat
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board



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"Eddie"

Football 4; Varsity Club; Play Committee; Dance Committee



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"Ted"

Dance Committees 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Senior Tea Committee.

Pat
on the
board



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Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals



DAVID FREDERICK

"Dave"

Library Club 1, 2; IRC 1; Drama 2, 3; Stage Crew 2; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 2; Senior Play; Spring Play 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



PATRICIA FREDETTE

"Pat"

Cross Roads Gem 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Music Letter; Dance Committee; Shorthand, Typing, and Transcription Awards; Senior Play Committee.

Pat



NANCY GARDELL

"Gardol"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4, F.H.A. 2, Varsity Club 4, Honor Society 3, 4, Music Competition 1, 2, 3, 4, Christmas Pageant 2, Senior Play, Year Book Staff, Hockey 2, 3, Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4, Softball 2, Tennis 2, Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4, Badminton 1, 2, 3, 4, Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES GEBLER

"Jim"

Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Orchestra 2, 3, Music Competition 2, 3, 4, All State 4, Senior Play Committee, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



LINDA GLANDER

"Linda"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Drama 2, 3, 4, Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4, Music Competition 1, 2, 3, 4, All State 3, 4, Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4, Hockey 2, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior Play, Senior Tea Committee, Christmas Pageant, Year Book Staff.



Water Protectors!!



BEVERLY GOLDING

"Beverly"

Drama 1, Chorus 1, 2, 3, F.H.A. 1, 2, Cross Country Team 1, 2, 3, 4, Editor, Music Competition 2, 3, Senior Play Committee, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4, Columbia Radio Correspondent for WPTX 4, Intramurals 3, 4, Gregg Short Hand Award.



HARVEY GOLDSTEIN

"Harvey"

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior Play Committee, Class Room Treasurer 1, 2, 3, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



CAROL GOLDUP

Historical Club 4, Chorus 3, 4, Drama 1, 2, 3, 4, F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4, Basketball 3, 4, Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4, Softball 1, Senior Tea Committee, Senior Play Committee, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



JAMES GREGORY

"Greg"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3; IRC 2; Track 3, 4; Intramurals 1; Christmas Pageant 2; All State 2, 3, 4; Senior Tea Committee; Spring Play 2, 3, 4; Senior Play; Solo Competition 3, 4



BARBARA GROAT

"Barb"

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 3, 4; Cheerleading 2; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 1, 2, 3, 4; Archery; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Chairman of Girls' Sports; Gregg Shorthand Award; Intramurals.



FREDERICK GUILFUSS

"Guller"

Football 3; Stage Crew 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Committee



EUGENE HALSEY

"Gene"

IRC 2, 3; Varsity Club 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3, 4; Baseball 1; Chorus 3, 4; Band 1; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



DONALD HAMILTON

"Don"

IRC 1; Intramurals 1, 2; Class Treasurer 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



MICHAEL HAMMETT

"Mike"

Year Book Committee



JUDITH HARLFINGER

"Judy"

Drama 1, 3, 4, I.R.C. 2, Newspaper 1, Chorus 1, F.H.A. 2, Hockey 1, 2, 3, Basketball 2, Archery 2, Tennis 2, Athletic Board 4, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior Play Committee



SHIRLEY HARWOOD

"Shirley"

I.R.C.; Dramatics; Newspaper 2, 3, Band 1, 2, 4; Orchestra 4; Competition 1, 2, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee.



JOYCE HASWELL

"Juicer"

Mural Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Queen; Class Secretary 4; Year Book Staff; Chorus 3; Senior Tea Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



THOMAS HERITAGE

"Tim"

Chorus 3, 4, Track 2, 3, 4, Football 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



FRANKLIN HIGGINS

"Buck"

Historical Club 1, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARGARET HOAG

"Peggy"

Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4, Senior Play Committee.



WINTON HOHL

"Winton"

Stage Crew 3, 4; Projection Crew 2; Historical Club 1; I R C. 2, Intramurals 1, 2; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



WILLIAM H. HONN

"Bill"

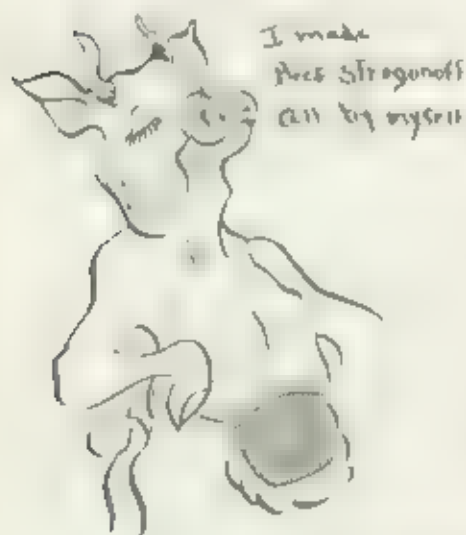
Baseball 1, 4; Basketball 2; Bowling 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee, Senior Tea Committee



EMILY HOPKINS

"Emmy"

I R C. 2; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3, 4; Drama 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4; Dance Committees 2, 3; Senior Play Committee



PAUL JORDAN

Varsity Club 3, 4; Projection Crew 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom King; Class Vice President; Chairman Senior Tea; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



MARGIE KALAKOWSKI

"Margie"

Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Chorus 3, 4; String Quartet 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



JOHN KELLEY

Projection Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Vice President Junior Class; Junior Prom Court; Sno-Ball Court; Co-Captain Football; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



ROGER LAGER

"Ken"

Radio Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Stage Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 4; Projection Crew 1, 2, 3; Sports Announcer; Junior Ring Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Congress 4.



BARBARA LA PIERRE

"Barb"

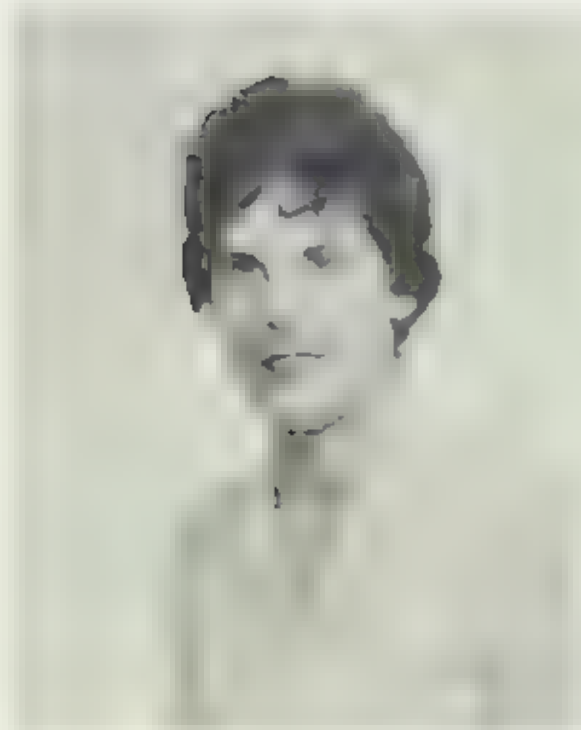
Drama 1; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



JOSEPH LA SACCO

"Joe"

Photography Club 1, 2; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4.



BARBARA LESLIE

"Barb"

Newspaper 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Senior Tea Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



ILA MAE LEWIS

"Speedy"

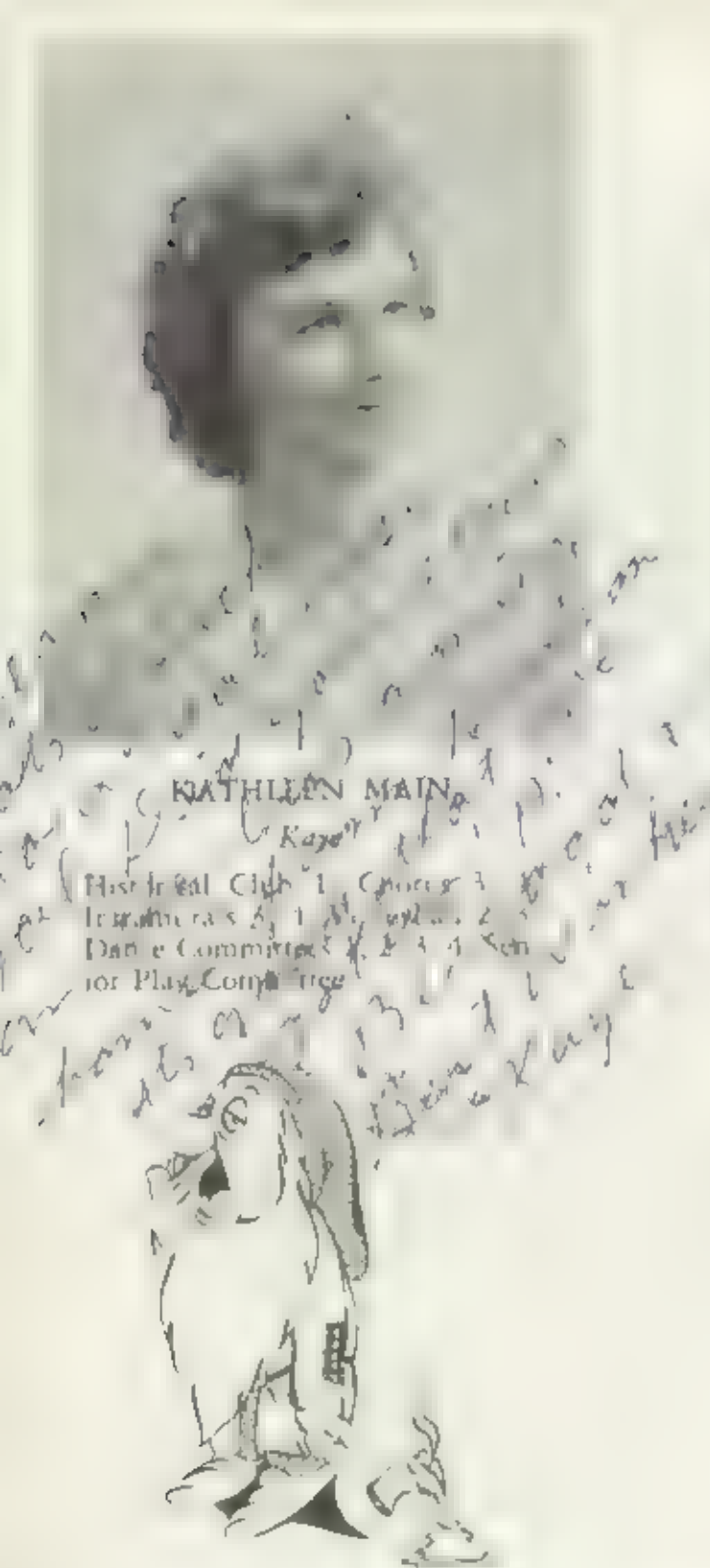
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MARILYN LOWNDES

"Marilyn"

Historical Club 1; IRC 1; Chorus 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee.



MARCIA MAINS
"Marcia"

Historical Club 1; Photography Club 1; Drama 3, 4, Senior Play Committee; Junior Ring Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



JOHN MALLOY
"Jack"

Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Photography Club 2; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.

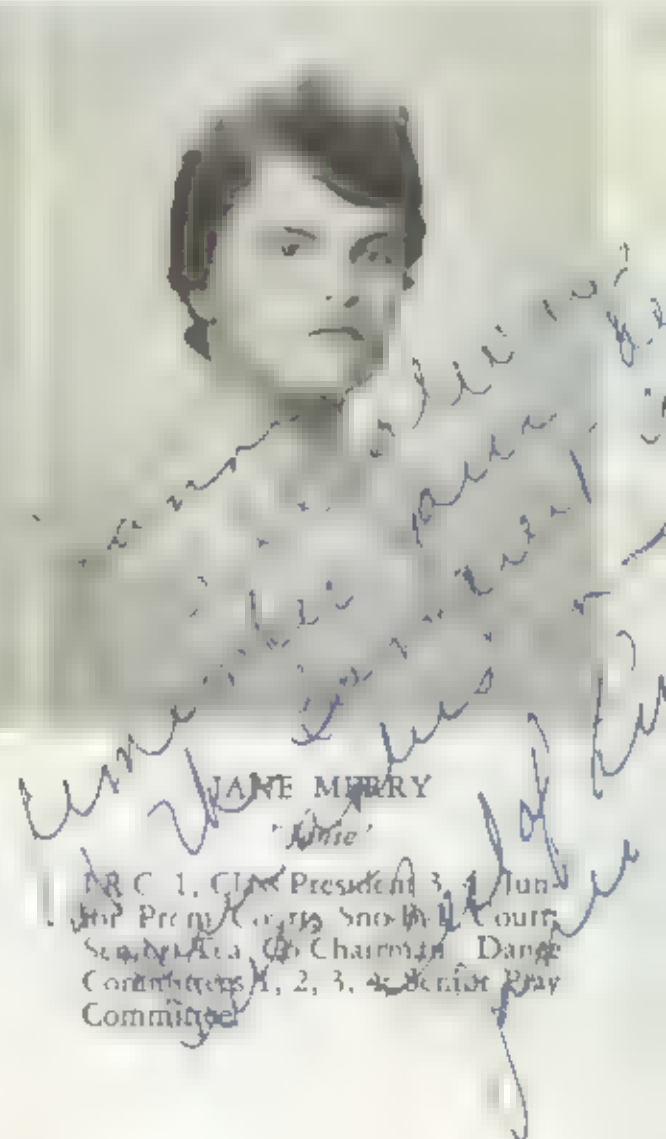


ANDREA MA LOSSI
"Andy"

Drama 1, 2, 3; IRC 2, 3; Make-up Squad 2, 3, 4; Varsity Club 4; F.H.A. 2, 3; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 2; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Christmas Pageant 2



DOMINICK MARINO
"Dom"



you are a great
 person
 for making friends
 and making them
 happy



JEAN MOBLEY
 "Jays"

Radio Club 3, 4; Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Monitor 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1, 2; Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4; Newspaper 1, 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 2; Athletic Board 2; Senior Play; Junior Ring Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff.



SALVATORE PAPA
 "Sam"

Track 2, 3, 4; Drama 2, 3; Spring Play 3; Senior Play; Senior Tea Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.

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BRENDA PEACOCK
 "Bird"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3; Student Council 3, 4; Basketball Cheerleading 2, 3, 4; Christmas Pageant 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Junior Prom Court; Junior Ball Court; Junior Ring Committee; Senior Tea Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2.

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DAVID PHELAN
 "Dave"



DORANN PLATEL
 "Dorann"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; I.R.C. 2; Music Competition 2, 3, 4; All State 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 3; Band 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



BARBARA PLUMB
 "Barb"

Intramurals 2, 3, 4; Historical Club 1; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARTHA POLLACK

"Tins"

Historical Club 1; Drama 1;
Newspaper 1, 2; Honor Sports 3;
1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey
1; Basketball Cheerleading
1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Prom Committee;
Senior Tea Committee; Year Book
Staff; Senior Play Committee;
Christmas Pageant 1.



DONNA BLATTY

"Donna"

Twirls 1; Chorus 1; Basket-
ball Cheerleading 1; Hockey
Cheerleading 3; Intramurals
3; Sno-Ball Court; Senior Tea
Committee; Senior Play Committee;
Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



PETER PUDNER

"Pete"

Football 3, 4; I.R.C. 3; Student
Council 4; Year Book Staff; Dance
Committee 3, 4; Intramurals 3, 4;
Senior Play Committee



CHARLES REED

"Charlie"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 3, 4;
Bowling 4; Dance Committees 1,
2, 3, 4.



MARLIND REEVES

"Landy"

Makeup Squad 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3,
4; Hockey 4; Basketball Cheerlead-
ing 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4;
Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Sen-
ior Tea Committee; Senior Play
Committee; Newspaper 1; His-
torical Club 1.



DAVID ROBERTS

"Red"

Football 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Var-
sity Club 4; Dance Committees 1,
2, 3, 4; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4.

with never before
we are still young
and still could
be a great team
as a team
match. Love.



FREDERIC SCHIEFER

"Fritz"

Intramurals 4; Dance Committees
2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee;
Drama 3.



THOMAS SEGUIN

"Rat"

Photography Club 3; Senior Play
Committee; Dance Committees 1,
2, 3, 4.



ALLEN SMITH

"Smitty"

Historical Club 1; Red Cross 1,
2; Chorus 3; Stage Crew 3, 4;
Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



ANN SMITH

"Ann"

Mechanical Editor Newspaper 1
Historical Club 1; Intramurals 1,
2, 3, 4; Senior Play Committee
Volleyball 1, 2; Dance Commit-
tees 1, 2, 3, 4; Gregg Shorthand
and Typing Awards.



EARL SMITH

"Earl"

Library 1, 2, 3, 4; IRC 2, 3, 4,
Chorus 3, 4; Senior Play Commit-
tee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4
Band 2, 3, 4.



WANDA SMITH

"Wanda"

Newspaper 4; Drama 3; Chorus
1, 2; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior
Tea Committee; Senior Play Com-
mittee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3,
4; Gregg Shorthand Awards.



SUSAN SPEED

"Susan"

I.R.C. 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Band 2, 4; Chorus 2, 3; Senior Play, Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



Patricia Summer

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KAREN STENBERG

"Blondie"

I.R.C. 2, 3; Drama 2; Library 1; Music Competition 3; Hockey 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Executive Committee 2; Senior Play Committee; Band 1, 3, 4; Orchestra 2; Chorus 1; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



CAROLYN STOTT

"Kitty"

I.R.C. 3; Drama 3; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Gregg Shorthand Awards.



RENE STEINBERG

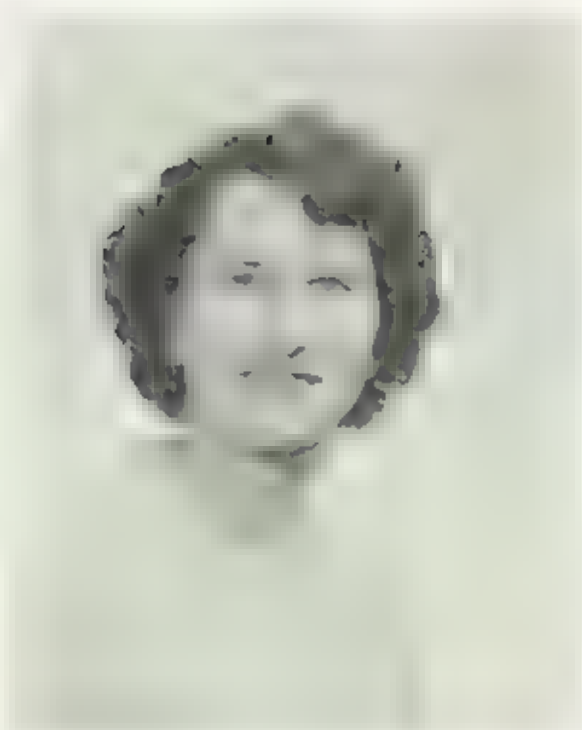
"Rene"

Drama 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; I.R.C. 2; F.H.A. 2; Honor Society 3, 4; Girls' State 3; Citizenship Conference; Junior Prom Court; Student Council 3, 4; Spring Play 3; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Tennis 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Year Book Staff; Executive Committee 2; Spring Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



PATRICIA SUMMER

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CELIA SUTTON
"Cel"

Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Newspaper 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Gregg Shorthand and Typing Awards.



JOHN TELISKA

"Telka"
Varsity Club 3, 4; Junior Prom Court; Sno-Ball Court; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1-2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 1; Baseball 1; Year Book Staff; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



MARTHA TIBBETTS

"Martha"

FHA 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



BARBARA TREAT
"Moose"

Red Cross 3, 4; Photography 3; Soliba; Hockey; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 2, 3.



JEAN TROSSBACH
"Jean"

Library 2, 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 2, 3, 4.



MARION TROSSBACH
"Si"

IRC 3; Chorus 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramurals 2, 3, 4.



BERNICE WALDMAN

"Bernie"

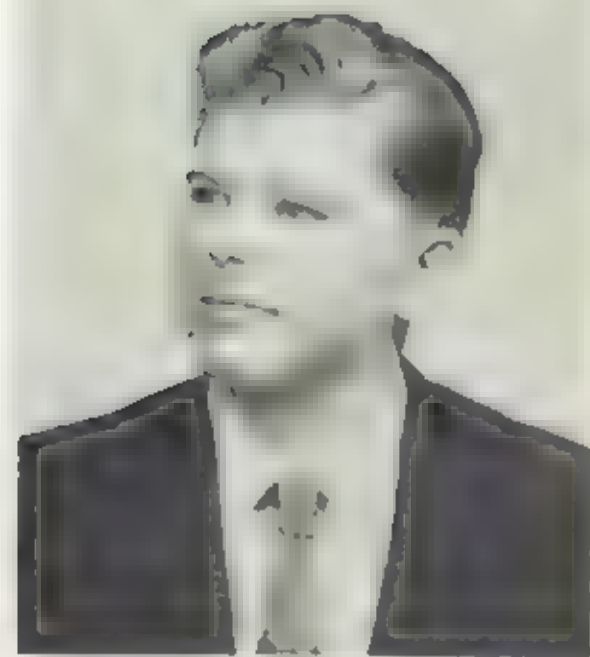
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VAUGHN WALLACE

"Vaughnie"

Historical Club 1; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Volleyball 3, 4; Basketball 2, 4; Hockey 3, 4; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.



FRANK WALSH

"Skip"

Baseball Scorer; Year Book Staff, Newspaper; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



MARGARET WAMPOLE

"Peg"

Historical Club 1; Chorus 1; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee



CRAIG WHITNEY

"Craig"

Chorus; Competition; Senior Play Committee; Intramurals 1, 2, 3, 4; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4



STEPHEN WILSON

"Steve"

Historical Club 1, I.R.C. 3; Library 2, 3; Stage Crew 2, 3; Radio Club 3, 4; Debate 3; Dramatics 3; Chorus 3, 4; Sports Announcer for Football and Basketball Games 3, 4; Year Book Staff; Junior Ring Committee; Senior Tea Committee; Senior Play Committee; Dance Committees 1, 2, 3, 4.

SENIOR SUPERLATIVES

- DONE MOST FOR COLUMBIA
Jane Merry Bruce Bibbins
- FAVORITE TEACHER
Miss Tracy, Mrs. DeNuzzo, Doc Corr
- MOST POPULAR
Brenda Peacock Jack Kelley
- MOST COURTEOUS
Pat Summers Bill DeWeese
- MOST ABSENTMINDED
Shirley Harwood Ken Lager
- MOST STUDIOUS
Sue Speed Fred Cue
- MOST ARGUMENTATIVE
Pat Ewasco Pete Pudner
- MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Rene Steinberg Joe Belser
Jack Conway
- MOST TALENTED
Linda Glander Jim Gregory
- BEST DRESSED
Pat Brooks Harvey Goldstein
- BEST ACTORS
Linda Glander Jim Gregory
- BEST LOOKING
Donna Pratt Mike Hammett
- BEST ATHLETE
Barbara Groat Larry Becker
- BEST DANCER
Barbara Groat Dominick Marino
- CLASS BABY
Jean Trossbach Bernie Cardella
- CLASS WOLF AND WOLFESS
Joy Mobley Sam Papa
- CLASS SWITTHEARTS
Sue Bowen Larry Becker
- CLASS LOAFER
Mary Lou DeGroat .. Don Hamilton
- CLASS COMEDIAN
Mary K. Dollard .. Noel Trueworthy
- FRIENDLIEST
Mary K. Dollard Locky DeWitt
Jane Merry
- SHYEST
Ruth Barner Ben Beede
- MOST PICKED UPON
Bernice Waldman Jack Kelley





APPLE BLOSSOM TIME

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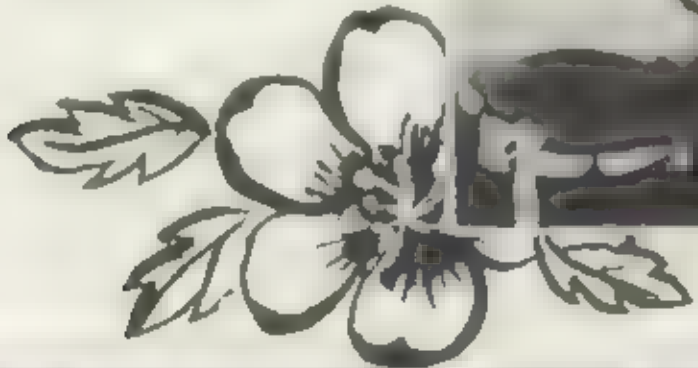
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Left to Right: B. Hubbard, L. Becker, L. De Witt, J. Tolska, J. Kelley, B. Cardella, P. Aswad, L. Myers, King Paul, J. Left to Right: Queen Joyce, S. Adair, L. Bauer, B. Peacock, R. Steinberg, B. Aswad, J. Bauer, J. Merry



A royal couple among fragrant apple blossoms



Drifting through the fragrance

SNO-BALL



Left to Right: H. Phillips, B. Billings, L. Baker, J. Keller, J. Teliska, M. Conner, J. Kramer, King Bernard I. Left to Right: Queen Donna I, J. Whitaker, G. Nueke, L. McKeen, B. Peacock, S. Bowen, B. Aswad, J. Merry



Our King and Queen receive presents from Santa



Swaying to the strains of the Red Jackets

HERE AND THERE



Senior Tea . . . "Where's my teacher?"

A Senior panel in English class



The class of '57 waits for the curtain to rise.



Swing and sway the Columbia way.



AT COLUMBIA

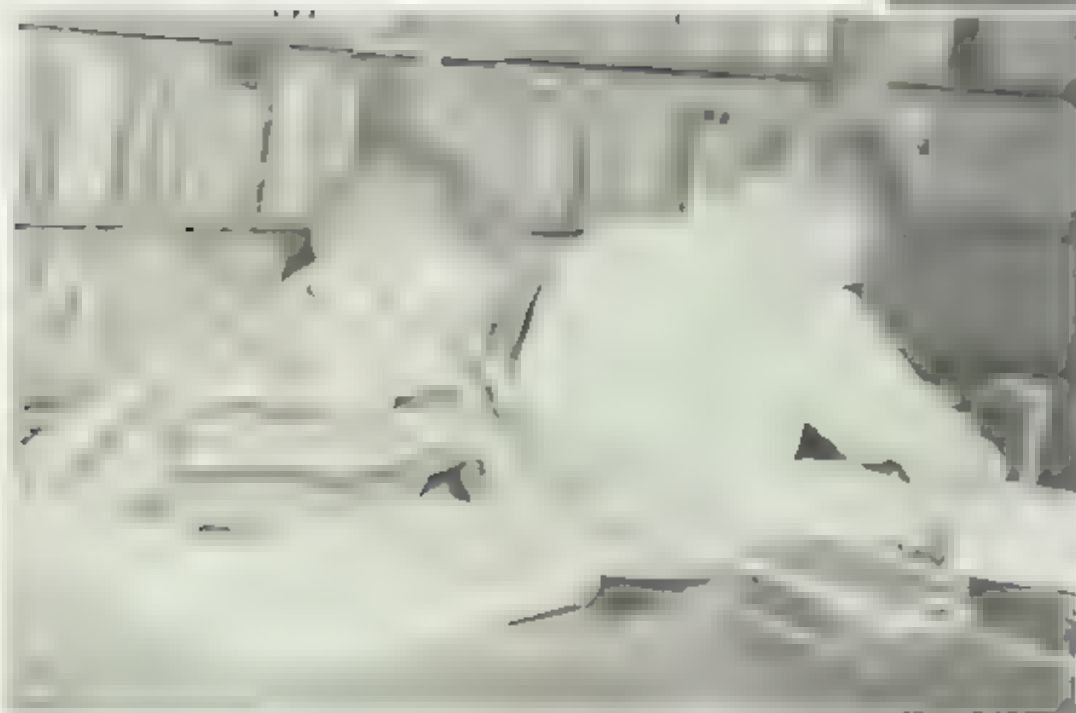
"One lump or two?"



Preparing for dress rehearsal



You've just been elected
class adviser "



Research paper due soon?"

WILL

THE CLASS OF 1957 bequeaths its many accomplishments and oddities to the future seniors of Columbia High School.

To Mrs. DeNazzo and Doc Carre goes our deepest appreciation for the excellent guidance we have received from them.

Many thanks to Miss Barrett for making possible the reality of the '57 'Columbian'.

To Mr. Lyons goes our sincere gratitude for all the help he offered in the production of our yearbook.

PETER PLONER leaves his perpetual argument with Mr. Chip to next year's history class.

CHARLES REED leaves the good time his senior year had to offer to his sister.

MARLIND REEVES leaves the Columbia Boppers Order to Jeanne Patterson.

DAVID ROBERTS leaves his ability to antagonize the teachers to anyone lucky enough.

ALLAN SMITH wills his argumentative ways to Don Kirsch.

FRED SCHFFLER leaves his love for Mrs. De Nazzo's southern accent to one of her future typing students.

CAROLYN STOTT and RAY SIQUIN leaves the corridors of Columbia to future steady couples.

To whoever can find it goes ANN SMITH'S job as mechanical editor of the school newspaper.

EARL SMITH leaves his seat in the dance band to Barry Cutler.

WANDA SMITH leaves her ability to leave her books at home to her brother.

SUSAN SPEED leaves her squirrel lined pencil case with the adjustable shoulder strap to Christine Wurstin.

JUDY SPLINER leaves her editorship of the yearbook to anyone who is willing to put in long hours of work.

RENE STEINBERG leaves her political affiliations to Pat Riley.

KAREN STENBERG leaves her love for R.P.I. to Ellen Collins.

PAT SUMMERS leaves her place at the basketball scorer's table to Nancy Minch.

JACK TELUSKA leaves his seat on the B.W.A. in basketball to Franny Clifford.

To Lois Marr goes MARTHA TIBBETT'S job in the office.

KEN LAGER leaves his senior year and all its fun to his sister, Marjory.

To Robert Rex goes BARBARA LA PIERRE'S love for popular records.

JOSEPH LASACCO leaves his love for the nurses at St. Peter's Hospital to anyone who wants it.

BARBARA LESHE wills her love for the army to anyone who is willing to wait that long.

MARILYN TOWNDES wills her admiration for Mr. Stearns to anyone of his students.

ILA MAE LEWIS leaves her ability to get out of a jam to her brother, Leroy.

KATHLEEN MAIN leaves her love for music to Marcia Matteo.

MARCIA MAINS leaves Georgia Kunke the ability to wake up without her telephone alarm system.

DOMINICK MARINO wills his love for dancing to Gussie Marino.

To Joan Newkirk goes ANDREA MALOSSIS love for girls' sports.

JANE MERRY leaves a shot of adrenalin to next year's senior class president.

JAYE MOBIY leaves her ability to catch a boy from Delmar to Patti Glenn.

To Francis Clifford go SAL PAPA'S track shoes.

BRENDA PEACOCK leaves the chairmanship of the "Save the Children Federation" to whoever can take the job.

DAVID PHELAN leaves his "lead foot" to Wayne Hotaling.

To Carol Morcy goes DORANN PLATELS position on the varsity hockey team.

BARBARA PLUMB leaves her love for fooling around in classes to Donna Boyce.

MARTHA POLLACK leaves some of her height to Sue Halsey.

DONNA PRATT leaves her love for cheering to Peggy Figel.
 JIM GREGORY leaves his love for the Estates to Don Covell.
 BARBARA GROAT and CELIA SUTTON leave their love for the Marine Corps
 to anyone patient enough to wait.
 FRED GUILFLESS leaves his oil eating Mercury to anyone who wants it.
 GENE HALSEY wills his position on the football team to whoever can fill it best.
 To anyone from California goes MIKE HAMMETTS hope that New York will someday
 have a California climate.
 JUDY HARLFINGER wills the job of collecting for the daily paper to any junior.
 SHIRLEY HARWOOD leaves Mr. Blass the crumbs from her French I pencil.
 JOYCE HASWELL leaves ability to get her front teeth knocked out to Nancy Minch.
 THOMAS HERITAGE leaves his pole vaulting pole to anyone who wants to use it.
 FRANKLIN HIGGINS wills his love for sleeping in study halls to Bob Ciperley.
 MARGARET HOAG leaves her love for Home-Ec and choir to Christine Wurstin and
 Diana Scharf.
 WINTON HOHL gives his #19 Mercury to whoever has the right price.
 BILL HONN leaves his love for Fords to Wayne Hotaling.
 EMILY HOPKINS leaves her love for Castleton to Wanda Jevens.
 PAUL JORDAN leaves #20 on the basketball team to Franny Clifford.
 MARGIE KOLAKOWSKI leaves her love for ice skating to anyone.
 JACK KELLEY leaves his love for school to anyone who wants it.
 FRED CUE wills his job at the A & P to anyone who wants it.
 LOIS DECKER leaves the presidency of the Future Teachers Association to anyone who
 is lucky enough.
 MARY DELGROAT leaves all the tomato soup in the cafeteria to Janet Gallagher.
 LOCKY DEWITT leaves his ability to hurt his ankles to Jim Spaulding.
 To Columbia High School, KAY DOLLARD, leaves her mother.
 DENNIS DRAY leaves his curly hair to anyone who wants it.
 CAROL EVANS leaves her love for Mr. Burland's camping trips to Dean File.
 PAT EWASCO leaves her happiness at making the cheerleading squad to Jeanne Patterson.
 TED FASOLDT leaves his shooting ability to Ernie Bazan.
 FRANK FIATO leaves his gym locker to anyone who wants it.
 PAUL FLANDERS leaves his interest and knowledge of the Air Force to anyone worthy
 of it.
 DAVID FREDERICK leaves the Castleton girls to anyone who can get along with them.
 To Cindy Chester goes PAT FREDETTE'S love for shorthand and typing.
 NANCY GARDELL leaves her love for sports to Karen Ferris.
 JIM GEBLER leaves his seat in the dance band to Bill Thompson.
 LINDA GLANDER leaves her laughing fits to anyone who has a strange sense of humor.
 BEVERLY GOLDING leaves her position as editor of the school newspaper to whoever
 has the patience and enthusiasm for the job.
 CAROL GOLDUP leaves her position on the basketball team to Donna Kentzel.
 REMO BIANCO wills his cramped gym locker to his brother, Richard.
 BRUCE BIBBINS leaves his seat on the varsity basketball bench to Fred Rosbrook.
 JANE BLAIR leaves her friendship for Mr. Patricia and her ability to stay out of trouble
 to her brother, Huckey.
 SUE BOWEN leaves her ability to get the driver training car stuck in the mud to anyone
 who has such talent.

PAT BROOKS leaves her love for beautiful clothes to anyone who is capable of keeping up with the latest fashions.

From PHYLLIS BROOKS, to Patti Glenn goes her appreciation for Mr. Lyons and his art class.

CHARLES BRUDER leaves his love for band to his brothers.

PAT CAMPBELL leaves forty pounds to next year's football team.

To a future senior goes CAROL CAMPETELLE'S love for social class.

CURTIS CAPPIANO leaves his ability to bother teachers to Sam Smith.

BERNARD CARDILLA leaves his ability to get teased about a certain girl to Mickey Conlee.

To a future saxophone player of Columbia goes the ability to JOHN CASVANT.

To everyone goes DORIS CHAMBERLIN'S love for typing.

JACK CONWAY leaves everything with every hope that someone will find something of some use, to everyone.

SHARAN COX leaves her shorthand pen and pencil to Pat Purdy.

DAVID ADAMS leaves his love for Hudsons to Wayne Hotaling.

PETER ANDERSON leaves his seat in the band to Gary Connolly and Allen Gleason.

BRENDA ASWAD leaves her ability to break Mr. Budnowski's stern composure in the driver training car to anyone who can do it.

To Charles Ainsworth goes LIONARD BASTIAN'S space in the student parking lot.

FRANK BARRIS leaves his 'Roarin' Hudson Hornet' to anyone that will appreciate it.

CHARLES BARKIE leaves his chorus robe to George McNary.

RUTH BARNER leaves her shy ways to her sister Rita.

JACKIE BAUER leaves her ability to be able to talk any time—any place, to anyone who wants it.

To Janet Gallagher JUDY BAUER leaves her position on the make up squad.

CAROL BEARUP leaves her lettering brushes to Jean Ostrander.

The position of quarterback on the football team goes to Franny Clifford from LARRY BECKER.

BEN BILDE leaves his fondness for his subject and his dislike for his politics to Mr. Chipp.

HARRY BENTLEY leaves his ability to cheat on tests to the first person who gets caught.

JOE BILSER leaves, to anyone who can be as hard to find as he is when Miss Barrett wants a picture, his position as candid photographer.

BARBARA TREAT leaves her hot air for the sousaphone to Dave Van Gelder.

JEAN TROSSBACH leaves her love for reading to Jo Ann Willis.

MARION TROSSBACH leaves locker #890 to anyone who is so unfortunate.

ARLENE TRUDEAU leaves her quiet laugh to Sue Hoffman.

NOEL TRUITWORTHY leaves his black tire marks to anyone who can make more of them.

JAMES VAN LPPS leaves his ability to understand James Byron Dean to anyone who will claim it.

PAUL VOGEL wills his love for skiing to Larry Meracle.

To George Visconte goes BERNICE WALDMAN'S seat in Business Four.

VAUGHN WALLACE wills her love for the Dodgers to Mike Poppey.

FRANK WALSH leaves his ability to 'foul up' Doc Corr to John Hood.

PEGGY WAMPOLE leaves all the fun that Columbia has to offer to Bette Lou DeChamp and Billy Wampole.

CRAIG WHITNEY wills the "school spirit" to anyone who wants it.

Even though the class of '57 leaves Columbia High School in body, it does not leave it in spirit. We leave our sincere best wishes to all our good friends and to the future seniors.

Scribed and inscribed by
JANE MERRY.

VALEDICTORIAN

Rene Steinberg

Rene Steinberg received top scholastic honors in the Class of 1957 with an average of 95.75 for four years of high school work. In addition to her fine scholastic record, Rene is a member of National Honor Society, Student Council, and she is in charge of write-ups for the Yearbook. After high school she plans to attend college where she will major in languages. The Seniors wish you the best of luck in your later life, Rene



SALUTATORIAN

Martha Pollack

Martha Pollack graduated second highest in the Senior Class with an average of 95.63. While maintaining this average, she also participated in cheerleading, was a member of National Honor Society, and was business manager of the Yearbook. Her future includes attending college where she plans to make her major, mathematics. Martha, to you goes the best luck of in attaining your goals, from the Senior Class.

HOROSCOPE

NAME	AMBITION	PASTIME	PET PEEVE	BIG MOMENT
Adams, David Albert, Fred	to get no more tickets to graduate from high school	driving my car going to Joyce's house	troopers getting up in the morning	getting my research paper mark when I enter the Marine Corps
Anderson, Peter Aswad, Brenda Baries, Franklin Barkie, Charles	to succeed in the Navy to succeed in college to own a sports car to go to college and take life seriously	music and dates "bapping" driving to Clinton Park photography	playing wrong notes "know it alls" flat tires fickle girls	when I enlist graduation college graduation college acceptance
Barner, Ruth Bastian, Leonard Bauer, Jacqueline Bauer, Judy Bearup, Carol	to succeed to succeed 4 years of college elementary teaching commercial artist	listening to pop music Ruth lapping around relaxing going to the 'K' snack bar at Kinderhook Lake fooling around at Sue's	conceited people stuck up girls squares "know it alls" people who sing with records referees	graduation graduation beating Lansingburg graduation when I go water skiing
Becker, Larry	get through school			winning Burg & B C.H.S. games
Beede, Benjamin Belser, Joseph Bentley, Harry Bianto, Remo Bibbins, Bruce Blair, Jane Bowen, Susan Brooks, Patricia Brooks, Phyllis Bruder, Charles Campbell, Patricia Campetelle, Carole	to teach to succeed to own a Ford Thunderbird to own a Jaguar to succeed to get a job to raise a basketball team to be successful to be a success to be a millionaire to be a housewife to be a secretary	philately driving people home cars and guns motorboating sports lack being with Houndy writing letters writing to Bill watching talking on the phone listening to rock and roll music watching the girls go by music playing basketball square dancing avoiding bores	geometry writing compositions nosy neighbors dirty windshields hypocritical people doing homework sarcastic people conceited people the Army certain teachers little sisters two-faced people	entrance to C.H.S. Honor Society Day graduation Sno-Ball Honor Society Day '56 graduation graduation graduation passing Driver Training going to college graduation when I got my diamond from Tommy
Cappellano, Curtis Casavant, Jack Cardella, Bernard Chamberlin, Doris Conway, Jack	to own my own business to be successful to be 6 feet tall to be a good typist to be ordained with a Ph.D. by 1967	watching the girls go by music playing basketball square dancing avoiding bores	blondes gossip Janet conceited people inconsistent dogmatism	graduation graduation graduation graduation graduation
Conlee, Robert Cox, Sharon	to graduate to be a secretary in Paris	sitting on the bench playing the piano	conceited girls untuned pianos	my eighteenth birthday a visit to Cornell on a 4-H trip
Cue, Frederick	to be a good engineer	doing anything interesting	boisterous Yankee fans	seeing Dan Larsen pitch a perfect game in the series
Decker, Lois DeCraat, Mary Louise DeWitt, Locky Deyo, Edward DeWeese, William Dray, Dennis Dollard, Mary Kay Eager, Mary Evans, Carolyn	to be a successful teacher pass Chemistry travel abroad to be a success to be a millionaire to be an engineer to travel to be a success to be successful	eating pizza listening to records sports music working working at the A&P being with Bill being with a certain person reading	insincere people people with loud voices women school noisy people certain A&P customers pointless jokes wolves and the Navy people who change their mind freshmen State Troopers	winning a trip to Cornell graduation Honor Society Day graduation June 24, 1957 Honor Society Day '57 when all my wishes come true Dec. 21, 1956 graduation
Ewasco, Patricia Fahrenkopf, Edward	to become a linguist to be an automotive engineer a '57 Ford	talking working on cars	some A&P customers bossy girls uninformed talkers conceited people poor mail service boys who hit girls homework tardy fellows people who stare police Democrats and Yankee fans	college graduation winning the football championship graduation graduation retirement yet to come when I went steady with Lenny Honor Society Day graduation getting my diamond graduation never mind Honor Society Day 1956
Fasoldt, Ted Fiato, Frank Flanders, Paul Frederick, David Fredette, Patricia Gardell, Nancy Gebier, James Golding, Beverly Gondap, Carol Goldstein, Harvey Glander, Linda	technical drafting to be worthy of learning to enjoy life to get married to own my own car to have my own band to get married to travel to go to Pharmacy College to benefit mankind	trips to Rochester hunting and fishing reading sleeping Lenny daydreaming playing the saxophone Doug analyzing people working writing the great American novel music meeting friendly people and dancing wandering	some A&P customers bossy girls uninformed talkers conceited people poor mail service boys who hit girls homework tardy fellows people who stare police Democrats and Yankee fans "know it alls" sarcastic remarks	graduation graduation retirement yet to come when I went steady with Lenny Honor Society Day graduation getting my diamond graduation never mind Honor Society Day 1956
Gregory, James Groat, Barbara	to achieve what I desire to be a successful secretary	music meeting friendly people and dancing wandering	"know it alls" sarcastic remarks	winning a scholarship Honor Society Day
Guilefuss, Fred	to be a mechanical draftsman		Allan Smith	being jilted
Halsey, Gene	to succeed	sports	girls	winning the football championship
Hammert, Mike Harlinger, Judith Harwood, Shirley	to own a Thunderbird to see the French Riviera travel and adventure	walking across the street making pizza eating	hillbilly music "hurry up" little kids	coming to C.H.S. it's still a secret yet to come

NAME	AMBITION	PASTIME	PET PEEVE	BIG MOMENT
Haswell, Joyce	to go to Lake George in a '55 Ford	sleeping	people who wake me	being Junior Prom Queen
Heritage, Tim	to own a '56 Ford	going out	moody girls	Dec. 22, 1955
Higgins, Franklin	to be rich	hunting and fishing	conceited people	graduation
Hoag, Margaret	to work for the telephone company	going to Troy	smoking and drinking	graduation
Hohl, Winton	to earn much money	school time	carbon monoxide	"Who, me????"
Hohn, William	to sell Wayne Hotaling on Fords	cars, Kay	helpless girls	when my car does 120 in 2nd
Hopkins, Emily	to keep out of trouble	listening to WTRY	slow drivers	when I reach 18
Jordan, Paul	to go to college	censored	A K.'s	being named Junior Prom King
Kolakowski, Margie	to be a beautician	listening to music	incomplete sentences	graduation
Kelley, John	to own my own business	sports	girls	graduation
Lager, Kenneth	to succeed	enjoying life	conceited people	Honor Society
LaPierre, Barbara	to enter the business world	listening to records	show-offs	graduation day
LaSacco, Joseph	to go to Hawaii	dancing	nagging women	graduation
Leslie, Barbara	to be a success	daydreaming, dancing and planning	sarcastic people	graduation
Lewis, Ila Mae	to go to Europe	listening to rock and roll	little brother, Eddie	graduation
Lowndes, Marilyn	to get married, success	Danny	catty girls	when I met Donny
Main, Kathleen	to get my license	driving a gray Ford	hot dogs	a blind date
Mains, Marcia	to be an elementary teacher	playing records	people who don't pay attention to monitors	winning a live turkey
Malloy, Jack	to make money	sports	women drivers	graduation
Malossi, Andrea	to see Italy	playing records	short boys	my one line on stage
Marino, Dominick	to own a "hot" junk	dancing	nagging women	yet to come
Merry, Jane	to get my diploma	being with Bob	people who gripe	yet to come
Mobley, Jaye	to be happy	waiting for weekends	my sister	when I marry Al
Papa, Sal	to be a lawyer	watching for girls	ignorant people	yet to come
Peacock, Brenda	to get through college	listening to the radio	conceited people	Honor Society Day
Phelan, David	??????	gossiping off	some g rls	graduation
Platel, Dorann	to teach	drawing and painting	uncooperative teachers	graduation
Plumb, Barbara	to be a success	being with Red	people who feel superior	graduation
Pollack, Martha	to reach 5 feet	talking on the telephone	nosy and conceited people	making varsity cheerleading in junior year
Pratt, Donna	to go to college	having fun	reading	being Sno-Ball Queen
Pudner, Peter	to graduate	going to school	lack of money	beating Lansingburg
Reed, Charles	to graduate	looking for girls	planting trees	deer hunting
Reeves, Marland	to go to college	trying to live up to C.H.S.	trouble-makers	graduation
Richardson, Ed	to get through high school	getting into trouble	cynical people	graduation
Roberts, David	to succeed	sports	homework	graduation
Smith, Allan	to own a big farm	Saturday night wanderer	stuck up girls	?????????
Smith, Ann	to be a private secretary	listening to rock 'n roll	pests	when I get my driver's license
Smith, Earl	to be a bookkeeper	bothering Mr. Gietz	conceited people	graduation
Smith, Wanda	to travel	writing letters to a guy	girls who feel superior	yet to come
Sequin, Ray	to be successful	hunting	people who spread rumors	graduation
Speed, Susan	to become ambitious	reading	people who mumble quickly	Honor Society Day
Spencer, Judith	to be an interior decorator	criticizing	people who exaggerate	Honor Society Day
Steinberg, Rene	to have a good time	keeping busy	insincere people	now!
Stenberg, Karen	to become an English teacher	reading and dancing	sarcasm	shaking hands with Jerome Hines
Stott, Carolyn	to go to college, get a job, and marry	being with Ray	catty girls	going steady with Ray
Summers, Patricia	to be a teacher	procrastinating	lazy people	Honor Society Day
Scheffler, Fred	to succeed	ice hockey	women	graduation
Sutton, Celia	to succeed in a good job	writing letters to my marine	sarcastic people	when I met Ned
Teliska, John	to go to college	practice	prevaricators	winning the football championship
Tibbetts, Martha	to be happily married	dancing	noisy neighbors	graduation
Treat, Barbara	to make my parents proud of me	writing letters	short furloughs	graduation
Trossbach, Marion	to be happily married	Vince	conceited people	after the Prom
Trossbach, Jean	to get a good job	reading	younger brother	graduation
Trudeau, Arlene	to get married	being with Tim	little brother	graduation
Trudel, Al	to be a State Trouper	ice skating, pizza, hunting	homework and wise guys	graduation
Trueworthy, Noel	to be a rich playboy	racing motor boats	lifeless people	going to Canada
VanEpps, James	to be rich	dreaming to music	people	my 25th birthday
Vogel, Paul	to see the world	riding around in a '40 Ford	wise guys	getting a car
Wadman, Bernice	to get a job	listening to the radio	too much homework	graduation
Wallace, Vaughn	to marry and have twins	listening to good jazz and popular music	getting up in the morning	graduation
Wampole, Peggy	to be successful	sleeping, writing letters	homework, the Navy and conceited people	New Year's Eve '56
Whitney, Craig	to have my own business	hunting	nosy people with stupid questions	graduation
Wilson, Stephen	to become a minister	youth work	lazy people	getting a "well done" from Prof. Chipp



HISTORY

FRESHMAN YEAR

The narrator elf waited patiently for the troops of sprites to quiet themselves and give ear to his tale. A few tardy fairies arrived in a rush of multi-colored wings and settled on harebells and buttercups for this, their annual treat.

"'Twas September, 1953," he began, "when the Class of '57 mounted their chargers and sallied forth to prove themselves true knights. Their hearts fell when they counted the leagues they must travel; so, to raise their spirits, they held a festival, 'The Rosebud Bounce,' not far along the way.

SOPHOMORE YEAR

Entering the shadowy forest which comprised the second quarter of their peregrination, the knights-errant and their ladies met two seers, Mr. Corr and Miss Bennett, who offered themselves as guides. This stroke of good fortune presaged nothing but happiness for the rest of the journey as did the election of Bruce Bibbins, president of the band, Locky DeWitt, vice-president; Brenda Aswad, secretary; and Donald Hamilton, treasurer.

Twice that year, at the "Snowflake Serenade" and the "Hayseed Hop," everyone cast off his cares and frolicked for an evening. Brenda Peacock, Pat Hiller, Bruce Bibbins, and Larry Becker were sent to convey messages of continuing fealty to the court of the Snow Ball.

JUNIOR YEAR

At this point one of the younger gnomes, a youth of two hundred, contracted the hiccups from excitement and had to be packed off to bed. In the ensuing bustle many voices were raised, calling for silence "Continue, continue, O good dryad. We listen."

"In sooth," quoth the narrator, "this tumult doth resemble the last two years of the quest of '57. As Juniors, Jane Merry became president; Jack Kelley, vice-president; Mary K. Dollard, secretary; and Donald

Hamilton, treasurer. In December each knight received a bit of wizardry contrived from owl's teeth and butterfly dust, his class ring.

Two of the merriest revels were the "Nick Kick" and the "Boop-Boop-E-Doop." Queen Joyce Haswell and King Paul Jordan reigned over the Junior Prom. The court contained many goodly knights and damsels, Jackie Bauer, Brenda Aswad, Jane Merry, Susan Bowen, Rene Steinberg, Brenda Peacock, Jack Kelley, Jack Teliska, Larry Becker, Bernard Cardella, Bruce Bibbins, and Locky DeWitt.

SENIOR YEAR

The party's rejoicing upon gaining the fourth quarter of their journey was diminished only by the loss of Miss Bennett who, hearing cries for help from the State Education Department, gallantly responded and never returned. Luckily, Mrs. DeNuzzo indicated that she could lead us through the remaining terrain, and our complement of guides was restored. Jane Merry became president this year, Paul Jordan, vice-president; Joyce Haswell, secretary, and Donald Hamilton, treasurer. The latter was lost in a wood, and replaced by Joseph Belser. Bruce Bibbins became president of Student Council; Locky DeWitt headed the Honor Society; Beverly Golding edited the *Crossroads Gem*; and Judy Spencer became editor of the *Columbian*.

The trials and triumphs followed one another thick and fast. The Senior Play, *Harvey*, starring Linda Glander, James Gregory, Sal Papa, and Jean Mobley, was hot on the heels of the Senior Tea. Donna Pratt and Bernard Cardella were crowned Queen and King of the Snow Ball. Brenda Peacock, Jack Teliska, Bruce Bibbins, Jane Merry, Larry Becker, Susan Bowen, Jack Kelley, and Brenda Aswad made up their court. Aching muscles, tired horses, but Camelot and graduation were gained at last! Their ordeal past and their valor proved, the brave companions danced the night away at the Senior Ball.

THRESHOLD

The years have passed by, one by one,
Our youth has fled so fast,
Today we stand at prospect's door,
Shall we forget the past?

Or is it wise to muse about
Those days that now are old,
Or shall we gaze ahead to view
What fate will soon unfold?

Oh, yes, those days were pleasant ones,
Their memories held dear
By us as we go forth to meet
The days that hasten near

As men and women we shall hold
This nation in our hands,
With courage we shall lead the world,
Its reins fast in our hands

We'll turn to God when peril nears,
On bended knees we'll pray
That we might strive in blessedness
Until His Judgment Day



St. High

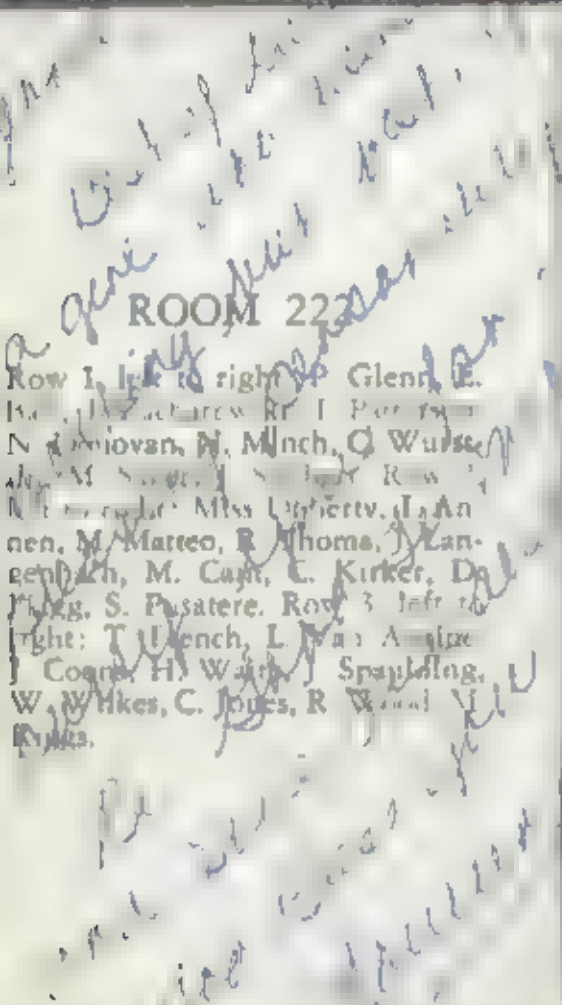




JUNIOR CLASS

ROOM 223

Row 1, left to right: Miss Grady, P. Bliss, F. Corellis, S. Napoli, V. Avers, L. Goodman, J. Maxwell, J. Ostrander, C. Lewis. Row 2, left to right: D. Kirsch, J. Draiss, D. Phelps, A. Frost, J. Hood, K. Brown, W. Kollack, W. Bardin, F. Clifford.



ROOM 226

Row 1, left to right: J. Newkirk, J. Jukes, J. Gallagher, C. Buckley, M. Bailey, M. Flynn, M. Figel, K. Schweigert. Row 2, left to right: H. Panitch, V. Gush, P. Riley, P. Corr, G. Knight, R. Jacobs, R. Mensing. Row 3, left to right: Mr. Havey, C. Lovergrove, C. Sangmaster, D. Coffey, M. Poppey, W. Simmons, C. Bowman.



SOPHOMORE CLASS

ROOM 240

Row 1, left to right: J. Kendricks, J. Carpinello, D. Moynihan, C. Chester, B. Heuman, E. Bloodgood, C. Lanford, G. Preston. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Rees, F. Fournaine, L. Daniels, M. Milot, K. Ferris, A. Gleason, R. Bianco, B. Boyers. Row 3, left to right: I. Johnson, D. Lynd, R. Hoffman, R. Draper, S. Adelman, D. Hamm, G. McNary.



ROOM 142

Row 1, left to right: J. Jefferson, M. Hoffman, M. Caraldo, D. Boyce, C. Abbetsello, J. Harris, A. Barkie, B. Doyle. Row 2, left to right: W. Eckert, W. Finkle, J. Bruck, S. Hohmann, S. Lambeth, A. Fuller, G. Giles, L. Lewis, Mr. Krchnak. Row 3, left to right: M. Conlee, H. Verbraska, B. Cutler, A. Pickarski, J. Wagner, K. Bowman, E. Mayhew, W. Clark, J. DeMartini.





ROOM 238

Row 1, left to right: H. Brower, D. Kentzel, C. Morey, J. Bonner, B. Coxon, K. Heisler, V. Haber, S. Golden. Row 2, left to right: R. Carpinello, C. Chilton, B. Kardos, V. Meacham, M. Nelson, B. McClennan, L. Miller, Miss Roek. Row 3, left to right: K. Fiebke, E. McKee, H. Krug, G. Ham, R. Giddings, D. Lappies, A. Hilton, A. Lopez.

ROOM 242

Row 1, left to right: M. Mantica, J. Freemantle, G. McDerment, G. Kunke, L. McKeen, P. Ide, F. Oliver, C. Cain, D. Leffler, T. Morris. Row 2, left to right: Mrs. Pascale, B. Dorn, R. Bonner, K. Barnes, D. Hacker, E. Collins, B. Brown, D. Crain, D. Fife. Row 3, left to right: R. Hockford, K. Eilers, G. Henderson, R. Kasky, A. Goldman, J. Merry, R. Ciperley, R. Blair, R. Hoffman, R. Miller.



ROOM 122

Row 1, left to right: J. Prior, P. Ostrander, B. Wilson, D. Scharpf, D. Rundell, J. Pratt, M. Sherman, C. Palmer, E. Reischuck. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Blass, B. Thomas, B. Platel, F. Schultz, B. Thompson, H. Phillips, R. Roberts, D. Ransford, H. Otry, R. Smith.



ROOM 233

Row 1, left to right: G. Saulpaugh, L. Zelenke, D. Smith, R. Tennant, L. Robinson, G. Riggs, J. Strevell, D. Packard, J. Smith. Row 2, left to right: Miss A. Apostolides, H. Teal, M. Morressey, C. Seeberger, W. Schiwwing, B. Truax, M. Plumb, J. Phelan. Row 3, left to right: G. Potter, R. Steinberg, D. Heisler, R. Rex, G. Truax, R. Rappold.



STUDENT COUNCIL

This elective body consists of four members from each of the sophomore, junior, and senior classes. The president and vice-president are elected by the student body. The duties of the Council include passing ordinances, making known the students' opinions to the administration, presenting recommendations to the student body, and

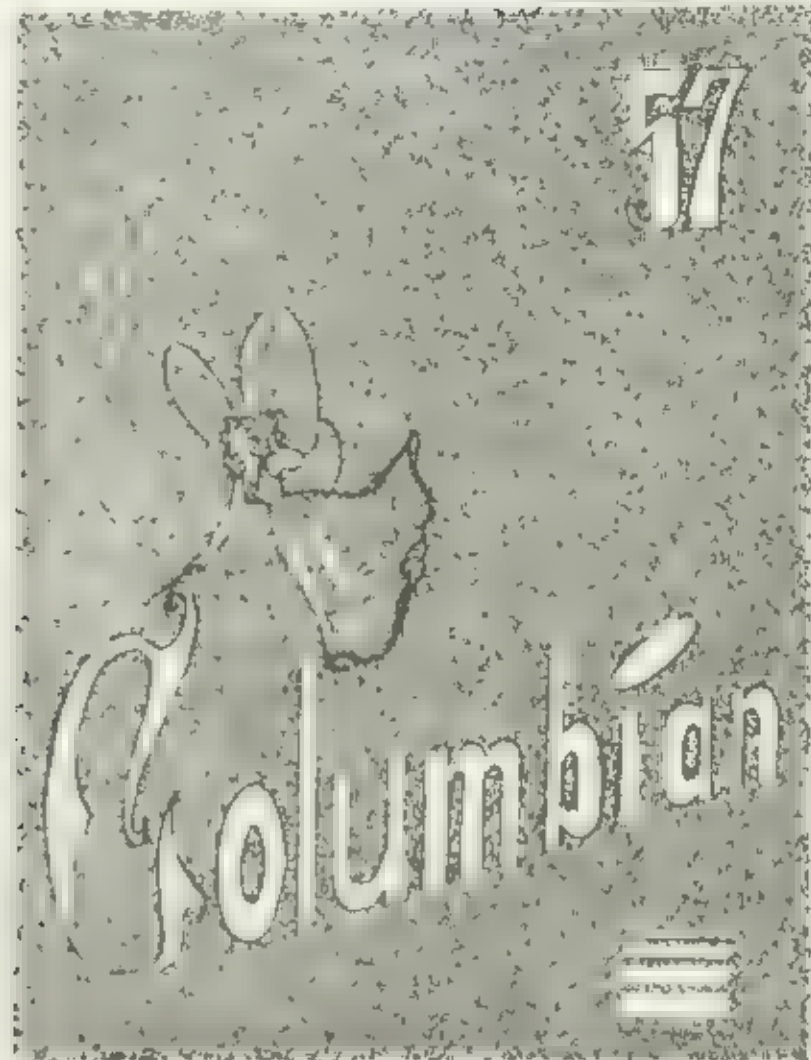
deciding disputes among student organizations. In addition, this year the Council sponsored the CCC drive, the proceeds of which go to six worthy organizations: Bundle Week, and the student-faculty assembly. The Council has also assumed responsibility for the Athletic Awards Dinner.



STUDENT COUNCIL

Row 1, left to right: L. DeWitt, M. VanVooris, B. Bittins, M. Flynn, J. Bazer. Row 2, left to right: M. Lager, P. Riley, R. Steinberg, P. Palmer, Mr. Chipman, D. Coffey, B. Peacock, K. Barnes, J. Carpinello. Row 3, left to right: J. Ostrander, G. Kunke, L. McKeen.

COLUMBIAN



FELLOW COLUMBIANS

In September my staff and I set to work on the *Columbian*. The theme, Fairy Tales, was chosen by a vote of the class, and we started our work of recording the year, 1957, for the students of Columbia.

Nothing could have been accomplished without the able guidance and advice of Miss Barrett, our adviser. In the art department, Mr. Lyons contributed talent, time, and energy, without which, none of our beautiful illustrations would have been possible. Pat Ewasco gave willingly of her time and ability working with me as assistant editor.

With the help of Frumkin Studio and representatives of O'Toole and Sons, Inc., the staff delved into the assignments with enthusiasm and ability and set about the task of writing, preparing, and publishing the *Columbian*.

It is our fervent hope that we have succeeded in presenting to you, a yearbook previously unexcelled in the history of Columbia.

JUDY SPENCER,



STAFF

Left to right: L. Glander, Special Features Editor; J. Merry, Will Editor; B. Bibbins, Horoscope Editor; J. Bauer, Senior Section Editor; N. Gardell, Senior Superlatives Editor; S. Speed, History Editor



Row 1, left to right: B. Groat, Girl's Sports Editor; C. Evans, Advertising Editor; P. Summers, Faculty Section Editor; M. Mains, Snapshots Editor. Row 2, left to right: P. Pudner, Boy's Sports Editor; L. DeWitt, Photography Editor; F. Cue, Advertising Editor

Left to right: M. Pollack, Finance Editor; J. Belser, Candid Photography Editor; B. Aswad, Subscription Editor; S. Cox, Typing Editor; J. Haswell, Art Editor; R. Steinberg, Write-Ups Editor; S. Wilson, Subscription Editor



MUSIC



SENIOR HIGH BAND

Row 1, left to right: J. Patterson, M. Lutz, D. Elzer, A. Gleason, G. Conner, P. Anderson, P. Bliss, B. Kardos, C. Lewis. Row 2, left to right: R. Thoma, P. Summers, K. Stenberg, C. Lanford, C. Bruder, K. Fiebke, B. Cutler, E. Smith, G. Potter, J. Gregory, H. Phillips, J. Cassavant, J. Gebler, P. Ostrander. Row 3, left to right: Mr. Morse, S. Harwood, M. Hoffman, K. Ferris, B. Brown, M. Milot, D. Ham, E. Mayhew, B. Boyere, W. Schwinning, D. VanGelder, B. Trear, T. French, W. Thompson, G. Riggs, S. Bowen. Row 4, left to right: B. Thomas, R. Tennant, P. Riley, B. Thomas, W. Simmons, C. Bowman, J. Annen, C. Wrinkle.

BAND

Three times a week the music room reverberates with melodies from the invigorating phrases of Sousa to the sonorous intricacies of Bach. The band, under Mr. Morse's direction, entertains at football and basketball games, and marches in parades on the nation's holidays. Columbia's band participates in State Competition and the All-State Music Festival to which, this year, we played hosts. Its biggest moment occurs when, after practicing its sforzandos, polishing its cadenzas, and grappling with its chromatics, the band reveals the fruit of the year's laborious cultivation in that culminating moment, the Spring Concert!

CHORUS

One hundred and thirty strong voices from Columbia High were raised this year at the Christmas program, the Spring Concert, and the State Competition. Voices of outstanding range and purity of tone are always selected to represent us at the Rensselaer County Music Festival and the All-State Festival. Soloists from the chorus also participate in State Competition. Every morning the chorus improves its technique through consistent practice and arduous exercises under the direction of Mr. Geitz. The repertoire resulting from this toil includes all fields from the light tunefulness of "On Top of Old Smoky" to the stately grandeur of "Tannhauser."

DEPARTMENT



CHORUS

Row 1, left to right: M. A. Hoffman, E. Reischuck, P. Glenn, J. Jukes, B. Wilson, M. Kolakowski, M. Matteo, T. French, C. Sangmaster, D. Covell, W. Sarr, B. Cardella, R. Bianco, B. Boyere, J. Annen, B. McClennan, G. Truax, C. Goldup, J. Gallagher, B. Hartt, J. Patterson, L. Goodman, E. Lohre, J. Prior. Row 2, left to right: E. Ball, D. Hastings, R. Tennant, M. Trossbach, P. Campbell, G. Kunke, C. Cain. Row 3, left to right: C. Wurstlin, J. Jefferson, J. Zacherewski, V. Ayers, L. Robinson, S. Fitzgerald, J. Kendrick, B. Heuman, L. VanAlstine, T. Heritage, G. McNair, C. Barkie, R. Ciperley, D. File, J. Hood, C. Sharpe, H. Verbraska, M. Cain, H. Brower, N. Gardell, D. Pratt, F. Nopper, S. Bowen, M. Mantica, K. Heisler, K. Kentzel, J. Carpinello, Mr. Gietz.

Row 4, left to right: M. Sherman, L. Tarrier, J. Mobley, C. Palmer, D. Chamberlin, B. Sadynicia, N. Donovan, C. Chester, A. Barkie, D. Foote, R. Bianco, E. Dreissenstock, M. Morrissey, G. Knight, M. Riggs, J. Gregory, E. McKee, L. Becker, C. Seeburger, C. Wilkie, D. Platel, R. M. DeMarco, B. Plumb, J. Bauer, B. Brown, D. Rundell, N. Lynch. Row 5, left to right: P. Ide, J. Smith, M. Hoag, M. Reeves, N. Hacker, C. Kirker, A. Fuller, L. Glander, C. Abbatiello, M. Poppey, V. Gush, D. Ransford, E. Smith, S. Wilson, H. Swinton, A. Hilton, R. Rex, E. Halsey, W. Wilkes, H. Krug, R. Giddings, W. DeWeese, C. Reed, C. Buckley, W. Jevens, V. Wallace, M. Nelson, L. Decker, K. Main, S. Lambeth, K. Ferris.



Jimmy Gregory practices for Scholarship Concert.



Joe Belser in rehearsal for State Competition.



STRING QUARTET

Left to right. S. Bowen, B. Heumans, B. Treat, P. Riley

STRING QUARTET

This year Columbia's music department, carrying on in the best tradition of Mozart and Haydn, established a string quartet. Unlike Mozart's customary two violins, a viola, and a cello, our string ensemble is entirely composed of violins. It is conducted by Mr. Morse, bandleader and head of the music department. Divided into first, second, third, and fourth violins, the group practices before school one day a week to prepare for Columbia's annual festival, the Spring Concert. The very fact of having a string quartet has a refining and broadening influence upon the school.

TWIRLERS

Gay in their new uniforms, this year five girls took their places at the head of Columbia's band. They paraded on Flag Day and again on Memorial day. Assisted by their adviser, Mr. Morse, our band leader, they nervously prepared themselves to participate in State Competition. The twirlers, as usual gave an example of the art in marching to the band members this spring, and the drum majorette communicated the marching orders to the entire group. Enthusiasm and color were their contributions to Columbia's parades.



TWIRLERS

Standing, left to right. P. Ostrander, S. Bowen, J. Patterson, R. Thomas. Kneeling. C. Wrinkle



STAGE CREW

Left to right: B. McClennan, I. Reeves, W. Thompson, Mr. Roden, F. Gulefuss, J. Belser, K. Lager, A. Smith, C. Bruder



STORE STAFF

Left to right: W. Jevens, I. Maxwell, Mrs. Coumbe, F. Corellis

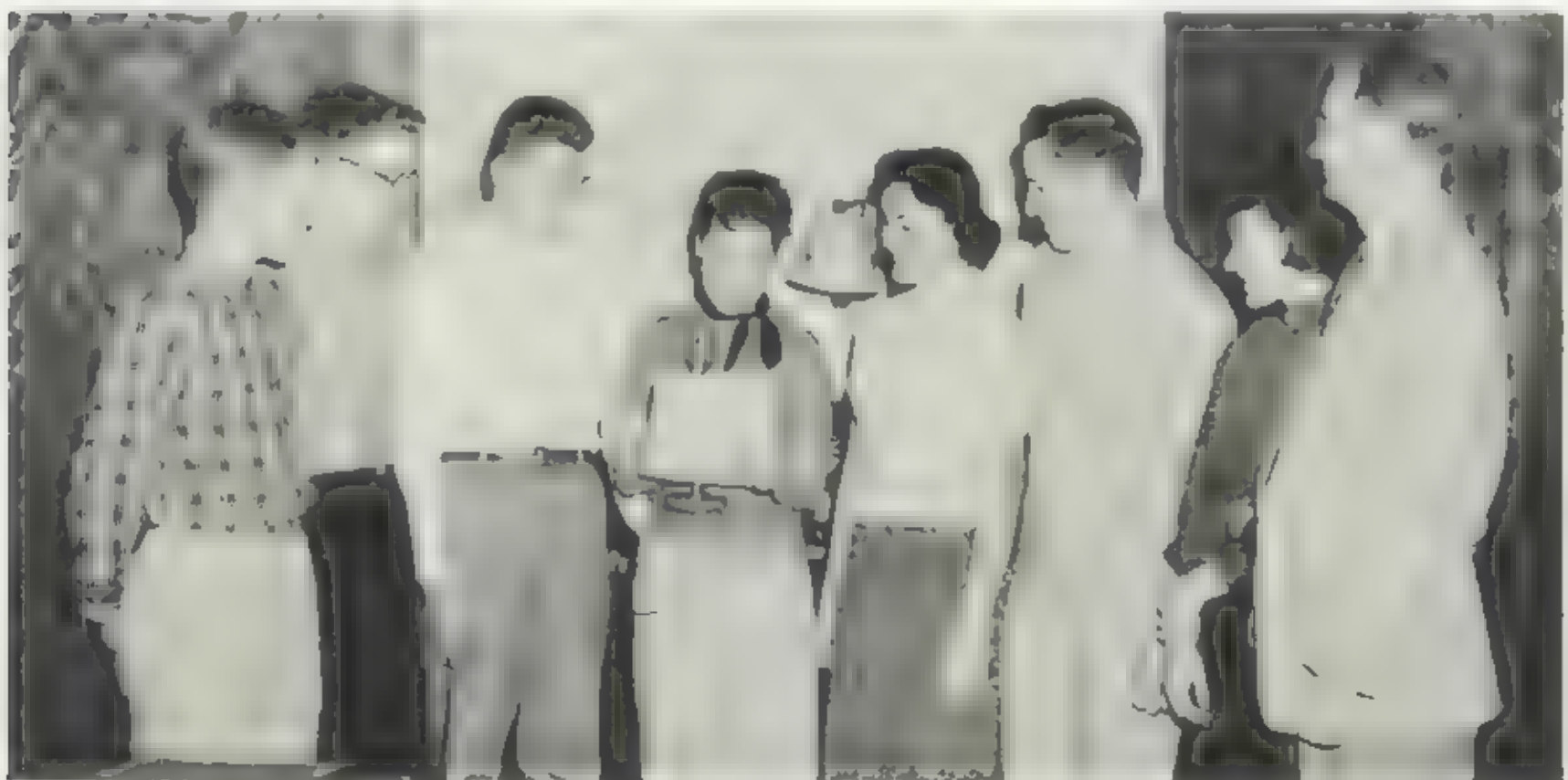
SERVICE CLUBS

Mr. Roden is adviser to the Radio Club which is composed of junior-senior high pupils interested in radio and electronics work. They gain experience in handling audio equipment by operating and caring for the school and auditorium amplifying systems, tape recorders, record players, and radios.

Also under Mr. Roden's guidance is the Stage Crew. They draw the curtains, adjust the lights, set the stage, and are always on hand to drive a nail or

raise a backdrop for the worried producer of an assembly.

Mrs. Coumbe's Store Staff includes four members. They check invoices, sell articles, and perform all the duties which are necessarily entailed when a school attains the luxury of a store. Their efficient and courteous attention, in common with that of all the service clubs, are as much to be relied upon as the unobtrusive strength of Columbia's brick walls.



RADIO CLUB

Left to right: B. McClennan, W. Thompson, K. Lager, J. Mobley, B. Aswad, S. Wilson, C. Chester, Mr. Roden



PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Row 1, left to right: B. Wilson, Mr. Corr, J. Belser, C. Bruder, C. Lanford. Row 2, left to right: H. Panitch, R. Steinberg, J. Coons, B. McClennan, R. Bianco, K. Lager, D. File, K. Brown, D. Lynd

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

This club offers opportunities to those interested in practical experience in the field of photography. Members of the club may bring in their own work to be done in the darkroom. Mr. Corr, the club's adviser, and members of the club take pictures of student activities. These are sold to the student body and the money is used to finance the projects of the club.

PALLETEERS

Probably the most exclusive and specialized club in Columbia is a group called the Palleteers: membership is strictly by invitation. This year, as every year, the first and most important job of the Palleteers is doing all art work for the yearbook. This having been accomplished, the club spent the remainder of the year planning a mural for our cafeteria wall which will be started sometime next year.



PALLETEERS

P. Glenn, V. Haber, D. Scharpt, J. Haswell, President, C. Bearup, K. Dolan, Mr. Lyons, J. Mobley



LIBRARY CLUB

Row 1, left to right: A. Rheing, M. J. Harris, P. Purdy, R. Kilmartin, J. Maxwell, J. Belser, E. Hopkins, P. Summers, H. Hoag, S. Wilson, D. Packard, J. Pratt, N. Gardiner, R. Hayes. Row 2, left to right: S. Stromwasser, A. Ouderkirk, D. Lovegrove.

LIBRARY CLUB

Members of the Library Club serve the school by mending, shelving, and putting books, waiting upon patrons, and relieving librarians of other routine tasks. Participation in this service organization's work gives the members practical experience and an appreciation of literature. At the annual assembly in June, the members are awarded pins on the basis of their years of service. Mrs. Hollister is the adviser to the Library Club.

CROSSROADS GEM

The purpose of this, the official news organ of Columbia High, is to recount student activities and to record and form student opinion through polls and editorials. This year, with the help of Mr. Chipp, the adviser, the newspaper was revised. Full-sized headlines and an advice column, *Keep Informed With Mrs. Informed*, were two innovations. The *Crossroads Gem* continues to serve Columbia as its most important source of accurate information.



CROSSROADS GEM

Row 1, left to right: J. Mobley, W. Smith, C. Bearap, B. Golding, A. Smith, G. Kunke, P. Fredette, S. Cox. Row 2, left to right: J. Ostrander, P. Riley, J. Patterson, B. Crow, L. DeWitt, H. Waite, B. Brown, V. Haber, C. Chester, Mr. Chipp.



FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

Row 1, left to right: M. Matteo, I. Prior, H. Brower, M. Martica, D. Randolph. Row 2, left to right: G. Saulpaugh, S. Golden, G. Kunke, Secretary D. Ford, President; W. Jevens, Vice-President; P. Purdy, Treasurer; K. Barnes, Historian; L. McKeen. Row 3, left to right: N. Gardiner, C. Palmer, D. Sharf, R. DeMarco, M. Milot, J. Smith, V. Meacham, A. Fuller, B. Heumen, Mrs. Pascale.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS

Girls who take homemaking in grades nine through twelve are eligible for membership. Members of F.H.A. under the guidance of Mrs. Pascal, strive to become more proficient homemakers. They serve at school banquets to earn money for the club. This year they had a Chinese Auction as another money-raising activity. Each year they hold a Christmas Party to entertain the children at Child's Hospital.

MAKE-UP SQUAD

A very important part of the Dramatics Club is the Make-Up Squad. Training classes are held each year for tenth and eleventh grade girls and the best make-up artists are selected to serve on the squad. They are chosen by the members of the squad and the adviser, Miss Tracy. These girls do the make-up for all the dramatic productions of the school.



SENIOR HIGH MAKE-UP SQUAD

Row 1, left to right: Miss Tracy, J. Bauer, L. Glander, J. Spencer, E. Hopkins. Row 2, left to right: J. McBryer, A. Maless, J. Bauer. Row 3, left to right: M. Cain, S. Bowen. Row 4, left to right: M. E. DeGroar, V. Meacham. Row 5, left to right: I. Gallagher, S. Hohmann. Row 6, left to right: E. Reischuck, D. Randolph, S. Golden, K. Barnes, A. Tennant, J. Smith, M. Sherman, G. Kunke.

DRAMATICS



"HARVEY"

Row 1, left to right: J. Gregory, S. Papa, J. Mobley, P. Cle. L. Glander. Row 2, left to right: D. Freck, A. S. S. A. MaLossi, B. Aswad, D. Adams, N. Gardell, P. Vogel.

The house lights go up and a murmur of comment is heard as people don their coats and straggle into the aisle, after witnessing the final result of months of planning and practice, the Spring Play. This year it was "Night Must Fall," a mystery, by Emylea Williams. Over one hundred people contributed their thoughts and skill in one of the areas a Dramatic Club member may choose: properties, programs, ushers, scenery, tickets, publicity, make-up, stage, costumes, prompters, or cast. Each fall the



"NIGHT MUST FALL"

Row 1, left to right: S. Papa, P. Figel, M. Pollack, M. Lager, Miss Tracy. Row 2, left to right: R. Steinberg, P. Bliss, D. Covell, L. Glander, J. Gregory.

Senior Class presents the Senior Play under the direction of Miss Tracy. This year the play was a comedy, "Harvey," starring Linda Glander, Jim Gregory and many others. Every alternate year the Dramatics Club presents a Christmas pageant also. This year it was "A Festival of Lights." The Dramatics Club performs a valuable service, giving teenagers an opportunity to search out their latent creative talents.



COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Row 1, left to right: J. Bauer, A. MaLossi, P. Riley, K. Brown, E. Hopkins, C. Kirker, M. Mains. Row 2, left to right: S. Harwood, S. Golden, M. Lynn, J. Patterson, P. Corr, B. McClennan, J. Gallagher, C. Wurstin, B. Sadynica, S. Cox, M. Pollack.



INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB

Row 1, left to right: J. Newkirk, D. Coffey, J. Conway, J. Coons, G. Kunke. Row 2, left to right: K. Banes, E. Collins, K. Brown, D. Phibbs, P. Youngmans, H. Panitch, F. Cue, M. Jemel, S. Harwood, Mr. Huvey.

I. R. C.

The ultimate aim of the I.R.C. is to interest and educate students of the tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grades in foreign affairs through discussion, study, and group activities. This year, under Mr. Havey's guidance, each member completed a project on a foreign country; two assemblies, one upon the Presidential Campaign, were sponsored, and a portrait of Woodrow Wilson was presented to Columbia. The I.R.C. also took an inspiring and thought provoking tour through the U.N. Building in New York City, and thereby gained new understanding of the reality of the world's problems.

SENIOR FORENSIC SOCIETY

Skilled in rebuttal, constructive debating, and cross-questioning, this organization took part in the State Finals and Semi-Finals this year. The group joined the National Forensic League, and two of its members, Jack Conway and Pat Riley, earned Degrees of Honor from that source. Under the guidance of Mr. Hotchkiss, the twenty members practice thinking on their feet besides exercising clear and exact modes of expression.



SENIOR FORENSIC SOCIETY

Row 1, left to right: S. Lambeth, V. Haber, K. Banes, J. Conway, P. Riley, B. Brown. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Hotchkiss, J. Ostrander, K. Schweigert, P. Bess, J. Annen, J. Coons, D. Coffey, C. Lewis, P. Ostrander, G. Kunke.



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

Row 1, left to right: J. Bauer, J. Decker, D. Planch, M. Mann, C. Worsen, M. Fiedel. Row 2, left to right: Mrs. M. Gardner, Miss Anderson, S. Bowen, C. Evans, P. Summers, P. Bliss, B. Brown, E. Hopkins, P. Riley, K. Barnes, G. Ricks, B. Hennessey, K. Stender, M. Perack, Mrs. Colman, Miss Gardner.

FUTURE TEACHERS

The Crow-Ho-Sea Chapter of the F.T.A. is composed of girls interested in teaching from ninth, tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grades. Its senior members have the opportunity of practice teaching under faculty supervision in one of the elementary schools. The others may visit and observe in these schools. Talks by teachers and films are also included in the year's program. The society is sponsored by the East Greenbush Teachers' Association.

VARSITY CLUB

All students who have earned a letter are eligible for membership in Varsity Club. Varsity Club members may buy a jacket for which they pay half, the club paying the remainder. Members have charge of selling soda and ushering at home basketball games. This year during football season, members sold blue football balloons with "COLUMBIA" in white letters. The largest source of yearly income is an annual dance presented in the spring.



VARSITY CLUB

Row 1, left to right: S. Bowen, P. Corr, B. Groat, J. Telaska, P. Jordan, P. Ewason, J. W. Lyle, A. MaLossi, M. Fann, N. Ganiel. Row 2, left to right: E. Cathard, B. Dorn, G. Connery, C. Seewerger, H. Swanton, P. Barek, B. Bibbins, J. Kelley, D. Roberts, A. Loyez, D. Adams, J. Zienke. Row 3, left to right: M. Van Voris, B. Boyle, D. Covey, R. Draper, J. Spaulding, L. Becker, E. Halsey, L. DeWitt, L. Van Alstine, D. Foote, R. Conlee, W. Comstock.



NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

Row 1, left to right: J. Bauer, B. Bibbins, B. Peacock, J. Spencer, R. Steinberg, L. Glander, P. Summers, N. Gardell, S. Speed, M. Pollack. Row 2, left to right: L. DeWitt, D. Fredericks, D. Dray, A. Malossi, B. Aswad, K. Lager, S. Wesson, D. Platel, A. Smith, I. Belser. Row 3, left to right: B. Groat, K. Brown, F. Cue, P. Youngmans, H. Panitch, P. Riley, M. Lager, D. Coffey, M. Flynn, C. Wurstin.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

The members of Columbia's Les Savants Chapter of the National Honor Society are chosen from the junior and senior classes for their achievement in scholarship, leadership, character, and service. Their election by representatives from the faculty, administration, and Honor Society members is solemnly revealed before an expectant auditorium in Febru-

ary's Honor Society Assembly. Later their parents present keys to the new members at the Honor Society Tea. Every year, the Honor Society sponsors a white elephant sale and a dance. Each individual remembers his promise to work diligently for the school's welfare and tries to reward Columbia's gifts to him by returning them, two-fold, to the giver.



The suspense is over



A new member for our chapter

Mr. High



A black and white photograph of a large group of people, likely a choir or a group of students, standing in several rows. They are dressed in formal attire, and the image is somewhat faded and blurry.

Row 1, left to right: L. Stever, R. Zimmerman, G. Hirt, D. Lovegrove, I. King, M. L. Walsh, N. Bruins, E. Dollard, M. L. Akins, S. McCumber. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Lyons, D. Wood, W. Hoffman, P. Packard, S. Halsey, S. Chapp, L. DeLaMater, W. Gleason, B. Spencer. Row 3, left to right: S. Noel, L. Bourdillon, S. Sedlick, G. Frederick, M. Casey, A. Paley, M. Tucker, W. Mack.

A black and white photograph of a large group of people, likely a choir or a group of students, posing in several rows. They are dressed in formal or semi-formal attire. The image is somewhat faded and has a grainy texture.

Row 1, left to right: J. Stever
S. Amshie, P. VanKampen, M.
Bassett, J. Gates, A. McCall, J.
Copitt, B. DeChamp. Row 2, left
to right: M. Crenshaw,
T. Johnson, B. L. Isenberry,
R. Perrele, M. Casarelli, B. Book-
heim. Row 3, left to right: R.
Bromberg, M. Fitzgerald, D. Lun-
dy, R. Hayes, C. Wetmore, B. Hil-
ton, C. Gibson, R. Russel.

A black and white photograph of a large group of people, likely a choir or a group of students, posing in three rows. The front row is seated, the middle row is kneeling, and the back row is standing. They are all wearing light-colored, possibly white, clothing. The background is a plain, light-colored wall.

Row 1, left to right. H. Seiberger, M. Pelton, A. Ouderkirk, A. Crago, G. Cipperley, M. Hockberg, A. Koren, P. Warman, L. Maat, M. Steves. Row 2, left to right. Miss Stapleton, G. Stark, C. Markell, M. Turner, C. Balte, J. Hampshire, E. Freemantle, J. Bailey, R. Zelenke, L. Goldup. Row 3, left to right: D. Cleary, W. Holbein, K. Bowman, R. Bamford, W. Blose, E. Parzak, J. Ratcliffe, H. Lanford.

ROOM 213

Row 1, left to right: P. Curtis, S. Madden, J. Willis, B. Kemp, M. Bogoslofsky, F. Cardella, M. Conrad, C. Nead, H. Toth, I. Lester
Row 2, left to right: C. Pratt, W. Theroux, C. F. Clark, C. Smith, D. Gagnon, M. Sanders, I. E. Hewitt, R. Williams, I. M. [unclear], Miss Novak
Row 3, left to right: R. Bombard, J. Palma, S. Caldwell, B. Rowe, S. Smith, I. Chaney, A. Houghton, B. Hood, B. Bromberg, P. Huey



ROOM 212

Row 1, left to right: J. Lewis, G. Jacobs, L. Stewart, V. Wetmore, I. Butts, P. Maddalla, M. Krug, Y. Panitch, K. Mitchell, M. Connola
Row 2, left to right: Mr. Southard, D. Hudok, D. Calamaras, P. Sager, B. Heidelberg, S. Fulgo, W. Comstock, B. Rottschaefer, C. Leslie
Row 3, left to right: W. Tompkins, P. Visconti, J. Fitzgerald, G. Paul, L. Bancroft, G. Bartinck, M. Gardineer, C. Lazzaro



ROOM 210

Row 1, left to right: T. Freeman, E. Cue, K. Weatherwax, S. Stromwasser, L. Clyne, B. Miller, B. Rickert, C. Smith, D. Harris, P. Krug
Row 2, left to right: K. Barry, G. Platt, J. Hoffman, M. Palmer, A. MacLeod, E. Baries, E. Budd, S. Prumier, J. Zelenke, Mr. Friedman
Row 3, left to right: B. Sheldon, L. Horaling, R. Zullo, W. Leslie, W. Castledine, R. Goldstein, T. Boyle, G. Plath, T. May, M. Talbit





EIGHTH GRADE

ROOM 245

Row 1, left to right: K. Gould, K. Mowbray, P. Piazza, L. Lefavor, A. Weiner, M. Saul, F. Brack, J. Tott, D. Jackson, K. Barton. Row 2, left to right: J. Lee, S. Cohen, B. Waite, M. Van Allen, S. Packard, M. Green, G. Visconti, J. Cataldo, J. Hanner, Mr. King. Row 3, left to right: A. Mermelstein, P. Michelson, C. Greenstein, R. Thorne, H. Brodgon, J. Sheel, T. Platt, E. Walsh, S. Speranza, R. Reno.

ROOM 136

Row 1, left to right: A. Patricelli, C. Jones, Jack, S. Stott, A. Lustenader, I. Garvey, B. Casey, K. McManus, A. Koules, M. Hart, P. LaBrosse. Row 2, left to right: J. Martin, D. Henderson, W. Waterhouse, J. Palmateer, G. Kanuck, R. Common, J. Bursack, L. Newell, C. Bishop, N. Polack. Row 3, left to right: J. Shulman, O. Swinton, G. Malzman, W. Gregory, W. Boyle, J. Doonan, N. Wiltsie, R. Rudat, J. Casey, B. Jacobs.



ROOM 138

Row 1, left to right: P. Miaski, A. Patricelli, G. Nickerson, B. Van Wormer, P. A. Ferti, P. Maxwell, B. Heck, S. Rosenbaum, J. Kundel, L. Coons. Row 2, left to right: S. Hirshon, R. Goldstein, B. Green, D. Robinson, B. Scott, M. Bradley, P. Hadley, N. Smith, D. Hoffman, B. Balfe, Mr. Hanson. Row 3, left to right: J. Bishop, W. Drost, K. Mastromarchi, D. Van Gelder, R. Teal, H. Karens, M. Preble, P. Newkirk, D. Mahlstedt, R. Palmatier.



ROOM 134

Row 1, left to right: F. Pitt, M. Clifford, M. Meyer, W. Meyers, G. Hienzweig, J. Pollack, G. Pannitti, B. Sayer, B. Thorp, A. Lopez. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Mayer, D. Nelson, K. Palma, J. Brown, M. Harris, E. Carries, J. Bashford, I. Klavins, J. Aman, J. Coates, I. Scarlett. Row 3, left to right: A. Marlin, J. Hammer, R. Donnelly, J. Malone, J. Bar, H. Romer, M. Heck, D. Ratley, D. Johnson, J. Bogart.



ROOM 246

Row 1, left to right: J. Merhige, M. Speranza, J. Wagner, M. Gordon, H. Shaw, J. Palma, P. Fitzpatrick, S. Bliss, J. Johnson, S. Piccini, B. Brooks. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Rosenbaum, L. Wagner, W. O'Conner, D. Boel, C. Lisella, L. Vane, J. Zacharewski, M. Rice, J. McClume, R. Clemens, I. Sherman, C. Torre, M. Eisenman. Row 3, left to right: P. Hammett, L. McKay, T. Barnes, D. LaBier, P. Jensen, R. Leffler, G. Whitney, P. deHeus, P. Swahlan, F. Roden, J. Trueworthy.



ROOM 141

Row 1, left to right: P. DeLaMarter, C. Noon, S. Verbraska, S. Earling, J. Cataldo, P. Larivee, J. Thomas, J. Remkus, S. Rundell, N. Cooper, M. Kirsh. Row 2, left to right: J. Daniels, W. Stewart, D. Pulver, P. Mayhew, L. Hermann, E. Millington, S. Meegan, R. Clinton, G. Blair, T. Lodge, R. Pailu, Mrs. Gavryck. Row 3, left to right: A. Good, R. Peck, H. Souder, S. Bamford, F. Shanholtzer, B. Thomas, M. Truss, A. Fasoldt, J. Reed, R. Hankle, R. Kasky.





SEVENTH GRADE

ROOM 108

Row 1, left to right: G. Marino, A. Roor, K. Swenson, J. Tennant, J. Fratura, C. Miller, L. Couture, M. Kosegarten, S. Rotschaefer, J. Burgess. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Bennett, R. King, R. Smalley, W. Lavin, B. Olf, J. Pniasek, K. Wrightson, J. Matthews, A. Plumb, F. Casatelli, R. Speed. Row 3, left to right: P. Pusatere, J. Gragor, J. Walsh, P. Stoll, J. Golden, J. Amidon, H. Hall, M. Hallenbeck, J. Schweigert.

ROOM 111

Row 1, left to right: S. Green, D. Zelenke, C. Belshwinder, B. Kenyon, L. Consolo, L. Farley, C. Pdaisted, M. Stone, C. Rowles, G. Loveall. Row 2, left to right: Miss Hurr, R. Caldwell, D. Mahar, D. Ticknor, J. Scott, J. Hockford, D. Spencer, D. Boyle, G. Segura, J. Warner, D. Lawrence. Row 3, left to right: L. Rappold, G. Doyle, R. Houghton, P. Trawinski, K. Golding, D. Cox, T. Freemantle, R. Mayhew, J. McCarty.



ROOM 113

Row 1, left to right: F. Shaxby, R. Kneiper, D. Brew, M. Hacker, H. Wolfersheim, V. Hotaling, D. Annico, N. Ryman, A. Good, J. Truax, E. Rooss. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Bourgeois, R. Dreisenstock, R. Feathers, C. Antinucci, B. Minch, I. Crawmer, V. Pettin-gill, P. Lioi, H. Weber, J. Wasula, D. Campbell. Row 3, left to right: W. Lanford, T. Kernan, R. Reed, A. Gates, A. Spierre, W. Bentley, W. Stuart, B. McClellan, W. Halsey.

ROOM 114

Row 1, left to right: J. Jackson, M. Otty, L. Weest, B. Bink, S. Wood, N. Rosekrans, I. Dierber, er, A. Schmebarn, S. Good, R. w
2, left to right: R. Casteldine, C. Stanley, J. Campetellie, J. Hamp- shire, S. Draz, C. Sauc, R. Ros- brook, G. Koren, G. Stoneburner
Row 3, left to right: B. Bruder, D. Fiato, R. Trudeau, I. Com- stock, V. LoVullo, N. McGaughar, R. VanDam, J. Mitchell, P. Teal, P. Burkhardt



ROOM 215

Row 1, left to right: Y. Bour- dillon, R. Defreest, R. Newbury, G. Zapf, C. Lemley, D. Williams, N. Jones, C. Turnquist, D. Dzialo, P. Hochberg, D. Mcintosh
Row 2, left to right: Miss Martin, C. Milvo, W. Wampole, H. Pills- worth, E. Barner, F. Ingrham, S. Pratt, D. Schaf, B. Cleary, P. Wel- don, G. Dickson, Row 3, left to right: A. Spatola, S. Roth, E. Firz- gerald, . Trossbach, R. Shartrand, B. K... R. Maloney, W. Whit- ney, F. Klose, C. Goldberg, L. Ca- rasone



ROOM 216

Row 1, left to right: B. DeMarco, L. Grandis, C. Moore, B. Jerew, D. Young, B. Barner, F. Hunter, M. Rheingold, L. Sargent, Row 2, left to right: M. Schacht, R. Norris, W. Carey, C. Smith, C. Peterson, W. Bryant, D. Templeton, P. Bour- dillon, T. Kirsch, Mrs. Lyon, Row 3, left to right: B. Ginett, K. Dur- yea, W. Stuart, G. Hiza, R. Men- sing, M. Schips, W. Tullar, D. Van Loan, R. Maloney





ROOM 217

Row 1, left to right: L. Zoch, E. Schmidt, B. Duryea, P. Poppey, G. Katchmar, A. Katzen, G. Trudel, J. Lefavour, B. Saulpaugh, L. Bink. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Hotchkiss, G. Bruder, P. Stein, B. Westervelt, C. Reno, B. Finkle, E. Canam, M. Gorgen, B. Handford, C. Moeske, L. Tempel. Row 3, left to right: G. Patnode, R. Hiller, J. Skrocky, R. Yackel, G. Linscott, L. Christman, A. Hamilton, B. Hughes, R. Gilbert, G. Bareis, T. Stanley.

JUNIOR HIGH STUDENT COUNCIL

Columbus Junior High School Council is composed of elected representatives from each junior high homeroom. This group, under the direction of the officers and Miss Martin, attends to matters affecting student activities and channels ideas from

the student body to the administration. Dances and parties after school from 3 to 5 p.m. furnish a source of income for the council with which they sponsor the junior high newspaper, *The Teen-Age Times*."



Row 1, left to right: B. Gleason, C. Mitchell, S. Rosenbaum, B. Comstock, E. Baries, J. Chaney, B. Teluska. Row 2, left to right: G. Visconte, S. Pisani, D. Trudeau, B. Halsey, B. Lavin, J. Bird, S. Caldwell, B. Talar, B. Lantieri, J. Greger, D. Campbell, L. Garsky, G. Elenzweig, R. Newbury, M. Martin.

LITERARY CLUB REVIEW



Row 1, left to right: Miss Doherty, P. Huey, B. Rixschaefer, K. Wurstin, J. Treitler, Mrs. Lyon. Row 2, left to right: J. Burgess, M. Steeves, T. Crago, L. Maar, S. Packard, R. Hayes. Row 3, left to right: S. Bliss, G. Bruder, G. Kanuck, P. Stoll, J. Hampshire, J. Bogart, P. Bourdillon.

These two publications constitute the literary efforts of the junior high school. "The Teen-Age Times," published every other month, is the official newspaper for grades 7-9 and contains news pertinent to the junior high school. Miss Novak is the adviser. The Junior High Literary Club publishes a

literary magazine, "The Literary Club Review," twice a year, under the direction of Miss Doherty and Mrs. Lyon. This magazine contains editorials, short stories, essays, poetry, book reviews, and other articles written exclusively by junior high students.

TEEN-AGE TIMES



Row 1, left to right: A. MacLeod, C. Stark, M. Hart, J. Brown, J. Hampshire, S. Stromwasser. Row 2, left to right: M. Talbit, A. Lustenader, L. Vanne, S. Quackentush, B. Collins, S. Verbraska, S. Stott, M. Meyer, Miss Novak.

JUNIOR HIGH MUSIC

The Junior High Band and Chorus are composed of talented and interested students in grades seven, eight, and nine. These two organizations contribute a great deal to the cultural development of the junior high students.

Under the direction of Mr. Jary the 70 member Junior High Band has been split into two sections for the second semester. The first group, composed of 41 selected members, formed a correctly balanced instrumental band which performed in music competition at Hudson and in the Spring Concert. The other group received more individual attention which enabled the members to advance more rapidly than if they had been part of the heterogeneous group. As these members improve, they are trans-

ferred into the selected group. The band plays for junior high assemblies and junior high plays.

The Junior High Chorus, under the direction of Miss Alberti, rendered a selection of five numbers at Columbia's Christmas assembly. The 90 members assisted the Senior High Chorus in providing the musical background for the Christmas Pageant. The chorus also sang five numbers at the Spring Concert. These included: "It's A Grand Night For Singing," "Joshua Fit At De Battle Of Jericho," "One World," "Into The Night," and "Battle Hymn Of The Republic."

Both the Junior High Band and Chorus provide excellent experience and training for further participation in senior high music organizations.

JUNIOR BAND



Row 1, left to right: L. Maat, C. Gibson, J. Hampshire, S. Packard, B. Budd, P. Deheus, J. Trentler, E. Cue, C. Pollack, T. Crago. Row 2, left to right: E. Baries, S. Rottshaefer, L. Coons, W. Gregory, N. Smith, M. Steves, R. Zimmerman, L. Reed, B. Jacobs, G. Bruder, R. Hayes, H. Tucker, M. Sanderson, J. Doonan, A. Fasoldt, D. LaBier. Row 3, left to right: B. Rowe, K. Mastromarchi, W. Hobson, W. O'Connor, L. Hotelling, B. Rottschaefer, T. Rothen, G. Dickson, R. Hoffman, P. Shillinglaw, J. Barczak, J. Mitchell, J. Skoczko, B. Bate, A. Katzen, S. Wick, M. Hacker, J. Matthews, O. Swinton, B. Wilson, T. Barnes, G. Ham, B. Bruder, J. Lewis, J. VanSchaick. Row 4, left to right: K. Gould, B. Thomas, K. Mitchell, S. Halsey.

JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS - A



Row 1, left to right: Miss Alberts, B. Miller, N. Fethers, B. Rickert, S. Smith, J. Copit, T. Freemantle, G. Hirt, P. DeLaMater, B. Hays, K. Winters, J. Luster, C. C. Hicks, S. Adams, I. DeLavorie. Row 2, left to right: J. Gathers, M. Brown, C. Bate, B. Heccegack, C. Stark, J. Collins, P. Kneir, S. Lueder, E. Decker, J. M. Jackson, S. Clapp, M. Brown, P. Pickett, N. Cooper. Row 3, left to right: S. Tarragha, H. Snow, G. Vincenti, C. Pickett, K. Weatherway, G. Chissey, N. Brains, J. Carpenter, D. Gagnon, P. DiBacco, I. Batts, D. Robinson, I. Galtay, J. Brown, R. Barner, V. Wetmore.

JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS - B



Row 1, left to right: S. Green, D. Zeienko, Y. Bouchillon, E. Schmitt, A. Rier, J. Truax, N. Rymon, B. DeMarco, S. Good, L. Consolo, B. Durvea, N. Jones, G. Lovall. Row 2, left to right: B. Barner, C. Peterson, J. Tenant, H. Wolfersheim, F. Hunter, S. Ince, J. Frattura, J. Burgess, D. Mermelstein, D. Brew, T. Katchmar, B. Jerew, S. Dray, L. Farley, Miss Alberts. Row 3, left to right: L. Sargent, K. Wrightson, L. Bink, G. Bruder, N. McGaughan, R. Dreisenstock, J. Skrocky, J. Matthews, B. Bruder, D. Fiato, B. Olf, E. Canam, J. Piniazek.

JUNIOR RED CROSS



Row 1, left to right: M. Sanderson, K. Wastlin, J. Gates, B. Collins, C. Pollock, L. Maat, J. Hampshire, C. Stark, P. Aliberti, N. Bruins. Row 2, left to right: G. Visconti, J. Brown, M. VanAllen, M. Bradly, S. Packard, M. Hart, Miss Stapleton.

The Junior Red Cross with its adviser, Miss Stapleton, actually functions as part of the National Red Cross chapter by performing such services as collecting money and other necessary items which they donate to needy groups. The members make party favors which are sent on special occasions to

the veterans at the Veterans' Hospital in Albany.

The Junior High F.H.A. teaches interested girls the basic principles of good homemaking. This year the girls planned a fashion show to illustrate appropriate clothes for various occasions, under the guidance of Mrs. Pascale.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA



Row 1, left to right: F. Maddela, B. Newbury, D. Richards, S. Smith, J. Lewis, T. Freemantle, C. Higgins, H. Seeburger, B. DeChamp, M. Hochberg. Row 2, left to right: J. Copin, M. Krug, S. Halsey, S. Stromwasser, M. Connola, G. Hirt. Row 3, left to right: R. Barner, L. Reed, P. VanKampen, L. Butts, J. King, E. Deard, B. Budd, I. Barnes, M. Stevens, L. Maat, M. Palmer, B. Rickert, A. Ouderkirk, Mrs. Pascale. Row 4, left to right: V. Wetmore, N. Fethers, A. McCall, C. Pollock, P. Krug, S. Fulen, B. Heidelberg, I. Hoffman, I. Stever, G. Ciperly.

JUNIOR HIGH SCIENCE CLUB



Row 1, left to right: T. Barnes, F. Shanholtzer, P. Stoll, A. Spatola. Row 2, left to right: G. Dickson, J. Treitler, G. Segium, J. Bogart, R. Reed, K. Wurstin, M. Hart, M. Meyer, O. Swinton, D. Calamaras, Mr. Bennett, W. Tullar, R. Maloney

The Science Club, Phy-Bi-Chem, requires for membership a sincere interest in science and the maintenance of an 85% average in science. Demonstrations on interesting topics are arranged and members indicate in which phase of science they would like to hear speakers. Mr. Bennett is the adviser.

The Projection Crew is composed of students who operate the movie projectors for the purpose of showing films in the classroom. This group has made worthwhile contribution to classroom instruction. Students who wish to offer their services are trained by their adviser, Mr. Heinze.

PROJECTION CREW



Left to right: W. Mack, B. Rortschaefer, D. Calamaras, R. Hayes, G. Ham, E. Mayhew, K. Fiebke, C. Chilton, Mr. Heinze

JUNIOR HIGH DRAMATICS



MAKEUP SQUAD

Row 1, left to right: S. Halsey, H. Lanford, E. Dollard
Row 2, left to right: J. Brown, S. Rosenbaum. Row
3, left to right: B. Heck, M. Stone, C. Plaisted. Row 4,
left to right: C. Higgins, P. Miaski. Row 5, left to
right: P. Clifford, Mrs. Gavryck, H. Shaw

The Junior High Dramatics Club, under the direction of Mrs. Gavryck, presents two plays, both in assemblies, each year. Students interested in any phase of dramatics, acting, sets, costumes, publicity, or props, will find a committee to suit their capabilities.

This year, this 108 member organization, presented the play, "Marry's Money Matters," written by Mrs. Gavryck. The cast included: George Kanuck, Karen Weatherwax, Jack Radcliffe, Lorraine Carpenter, Pat Fitzgerald, and Henry Lanford.

The second play, "They Put on a Play," was presented in March. The cast included: Bill Bookheim, Douglas LaBier, Allen Fasoldt, Ken Bowman, Nancy Bruins, Sue Halsey, Sandra Ainslie, Pat Krug, and Carol Balfe.

The club also presented two movie nights during which they showed full length movies and charged admission. The money was used to buy makeup, sound effects, records, and other equipment needed.

The Junior High Makeup Squad has contributed greatly to the successful productions of the Junior High Dramatics Club. Members are selected by a committee of squad members and the club's adviser, Mrs. Gavryck.

DRAMATICS CLUB - A



Row 1, left to right: G. Elenzweig, P. Miaski, M. Bogoslofsky, L. Stewart, C. Nead, M. Rheingold, P. Morris, G. Jacobs, S. Ainslie, R. Knieper, M. Kosegarten, B. Sayer, S. Rosenbaum. Row 2, left to right: M. Hart, M. L. Walsh, N. Cooper, E. Coronas, M. Bradley, M. Brown, S. Chipp, C. Balfe, J. Gates, L. Hermann, J. Bashford, M. Sanderson, M. Green, M. Conola. Row 3, left to right: M. Shumaker, D. Robinson, M. Talbot, J. Bogart, R. Zelenke, C. Lazzaro, A. Rheingold, A. Fasoldt, A. Marlin, F. Roden, W. Halsey, P. Fitzpatrick, K. Weatherwax, S. Bliss

DRAMATICS CLUB - B



Row 1, left to right: J. Cooper, D. Young, S. Stromwasser, P. Clifford, H. Shaw, K. Moorman, B. Heck, M. Stone, C. Plaisted, P. O'Leary, D. Jackson, G. Hart, I. Meyer. Row 2, left to right: M. Gayrick, B. March, D. Gagnon, N. Barnes, B. Heston, T. Deard, S. Hasey, S. Edgo, J. Brown, C. Mitchell, S. McCumber, C. Higgins, P. Krug. Row 3, left to right: A. McCall, G. Ciperley, G. Kanuck, B. Bockheim, A. Hamilton, H. Lantford, K. Bowman, F. Ritchie, D. LaBier, T. Barnes, B. Gagnon, J. Hanner, S. Harris.

JUNIOR FORENSIC SOCIETY



Row 1, left to right: Mr. Hatchkiss, P. Maxwell, M. Stone, B. Heck, K. Gould, C. Plaisted, M. Meyer. Row 2, left to right: M. Shumaker, S. Bliss, B. Sayer, H. Shaw, A. Lustenader, S. Rosenbaum, M. Rheingold, J. Hampshire. Row 3, left to right: M. Hart, G. Ciperley, T. Crago, G. Visconti, J. Brown, K. Weatherway, F. Cue, C. Balle. Row 4, left to right: G. Parrott, G. Barnes, B. Brader, I. Tretler, L. Catuano, D. Tackner, W. Hasey. Row 5, left to right: J. Frederick, D. Coffey, D. LaBier, A. Maran, C. Southworth, A. Rheingold, K. Goulding. Row 6, left to right: H. Lantford, J. Ratcliffe, C. Wetmore.

SEVENTH GRADE HISTORICAL CLUB



Row 1 left to right: Y. Bickel, P. Pappas, C. Tarnack, L. Hunter, M. Koenig, L. C. Fester, P. Omy, M. Stone, B. Barner, L. Farley, S. Day, R. Krepper, C. Rowes, J. Tarnack, J. Burgess, D. Mermeston, L. Barner, S. Pratt, J. Hickford. Row 2 left to right: C. Sava, K. W. Wilson, B. DeMarco, G. Zapp, A. Root, C. Beschwager, L. Zach, G. Jones, S. Green, V. Horvath, N. Roman, C. Lattin, I. Grant, N. Jones, B. Dwyer, G. Kautz, D. Young, D. Swenson, B. Olf. Row 3, left to right: Miss Hurr, G. Seguin,

P. L., R. Norris, D. Campbell, J. Hampshire, S. Leffler, M. Koskas, K. Smith, L. Harpner, B. Moch, F. Canam, P. Stone, C. Peterson, A. Spaul, W. Lantford, B. Brader, W. Waspick, W. Halsey, C. Munn. Row 4 left to right: G. Parnote, P. Bickel, L. Carasone, R. Gilbert, R. Mayhew, R. Vaidon, M. Schmitt, B. McClellan, J. Mathews, R. Reed, J. Aron, G. Hiza, M. Schpps, K. Dwyer, G. Doyle, P. Parnote, D. Lato, H. Pasworth, D. Schaph, T. Stanley, G. Dickson.

LIBRARY CLUB



Row 1 left to right: W. Halsey, J. Bickel, D. Spencer, D. Camaras, R. Peck, J. Hampshire, B. Collins, C. Stark, K. Goring, M. Talbit, L. Goldup, G. Parnote. Row 2 left to right: T. Barnes, G. Kanuck, J. Treidler.

Sports



FOOTBALL

1956

Columbia's future in football seemed bleak on September 1st. When the boys came out for the first day of practise, only three of the previous season's first string were present. Between that first day and our opening game with B.C.H.S. Coach Budnowski manufactured a miracle. Out of nowhere came a "Blue Devil Frank Merriwell" under the alias of Chubby Seeberger. The rest of our backfield stood out with Leon VanAlstine, Jack Teliska, and Larry Becker. In order to win games, a team must have a good line as well as a good backfield. The line proved to very solid and contributed a great deal to the defeat of many opponents.



COLUMBIA
WINS
CHAMPIONSHIP

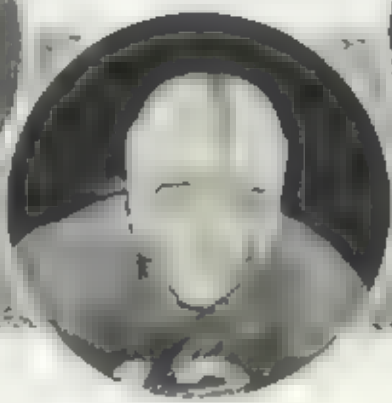
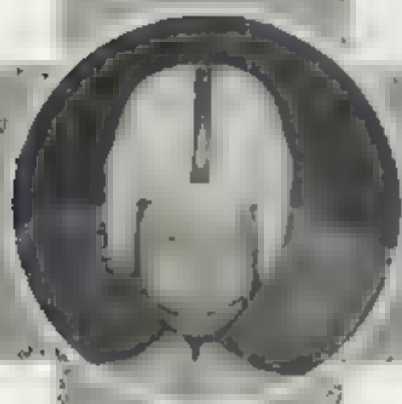
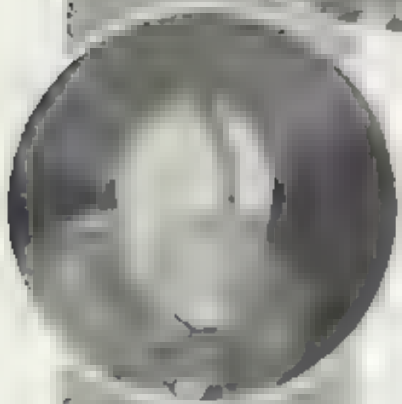
Our Blue Devils opened the season by playing to a 12-12 tie with B.C.H.S. Our next contest was a league contest with Cohoes. Sparked by the excellent line and Chubby Seeberger's three touchdowns, Columbia won 24-6. Our next opponent was Colonie. We won this game 13-0. In this contest Don Covell scored the extra point with a placement kick. This was the first time in Columbia's history that an extra point has been scored by placekicking. Our fourth game was our annual rugged battle with Hudson. This contest ended in the second tie of the season. Hudson came from behind to tie the game at 19-19. On October 19th, we played an afternoon contest with Cathedral. This game was our only loss of the season, and the opponents won 14-6. This was a stimulant for the next game with Watervliet. We beat Watervliet by a score of 26-0. Our final contest was with Lansingburgh. This game was to decide the league championship. Columbia won this exciting game, 7-6, and by holding the opponent on the goal line at the end of the fourth quarter. The team had a very successful season and ended with four wins, two ties, and one loss.



Closing In'



Faster, Chub, Faster!



VARSIITY BLUE DEVILS

BLUE VARSITY

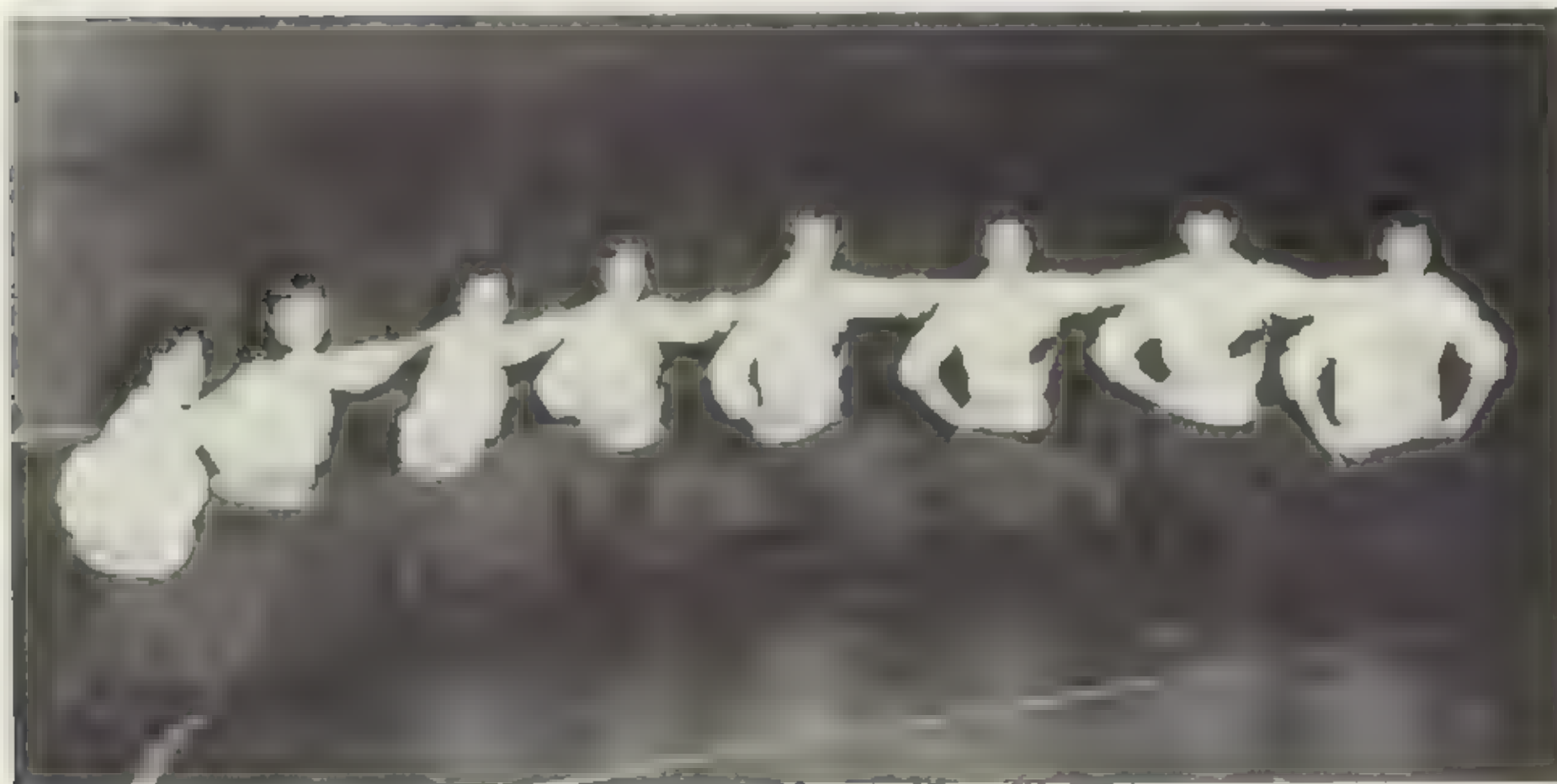


Row 1 left to right: M. Gardiner, B. Gleason, M. Canlee, D. Cavell, F. Clifford, B. Comstock, R. Pusaterre, B. Trudell, I. Zelenke, B. Clark. Row 2, left to right: H. Phillips, R. Roberts, M. Casey, G. Halsey, D. Roberts, J. Wince, I. Chaney, R. Teaska, S. Smith, G. Connors, R. Zullo, G. Ostrander. Row 3 left to right: Coach Gray, B. Comstock, K. Gouster, A. Jones, F. Lathrop, R. Draper, B. Dorn, P. Burek, J. Teliska, L. Becker, L. VanAlstine, C. Seeberger, J. Frederick, Coach Gray.

SCORES

Columbia	12	B.C.H.S.	12
Columbia	24	Cohoes	6
Columbia	13	Colonie	0
Columbia	19	Hudson	19
Columbia	6	Cathedral	14
Columbia	26	Watervliet	0
Columbia	7	Lansingburgh	6

THEY CHEER US ON



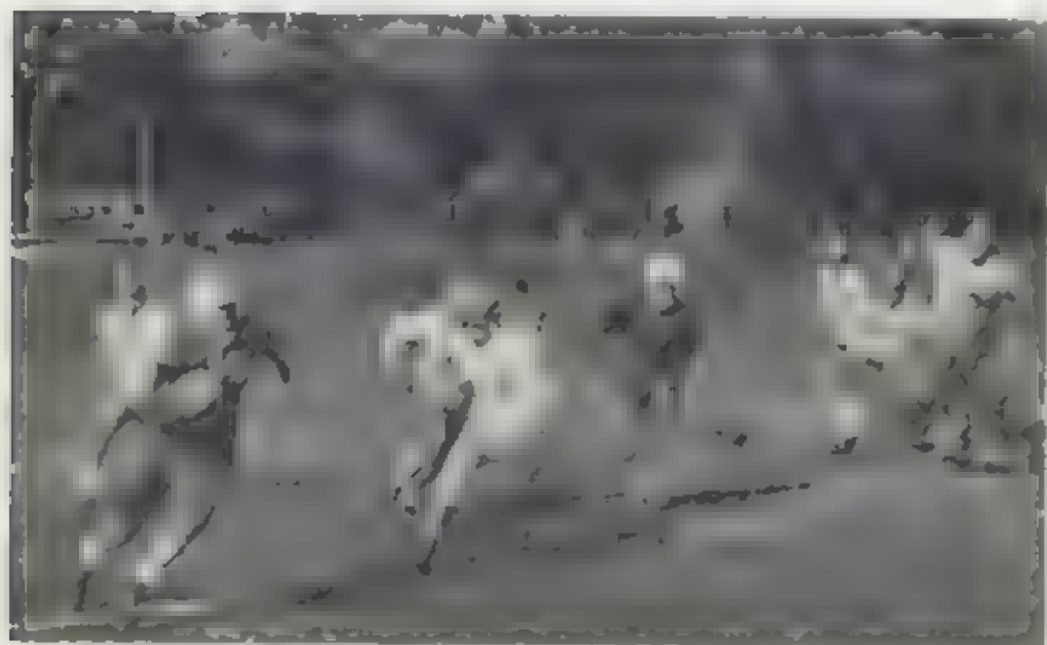
Left to right: J. Ostrander, P. Ostrander, C. Palmer, B. Comstock, J. Bauer, B. F. ... M. ...

DEVILS

ALL-ALBANY TEAM



Left to right: Coach Budnowski, L. VanAlstine, P. Burek, C. Seeberger, J. Teliska,
L. Becker, E. Fahrenkoph, B. Dorn, J. Wilsie



Chubby, Cut to the Right!



Get It Away!



Coach Budnowski says, "I thought I told you."

BASKETBALL

SCORES

Columbia	59	Guilderland	67
Columbia	59	Maple Hill	51
Columbia	61	Shenendehowa	55
Columbia	83	Milne	78
Columbia	13	Academy	66
Columbia	59	Hudson	69
Columbia	49	Van Rensselaer	51
Columbia	52	BCHS	62
Columbia	62	Guilderland	54
Columbia	66	Maple Hill	60
Columbia	70	Shenendehowa ..	61
Columbia	65	Milne	63
Columbia	44	Academy	46
Columbia	58	Hudson	65
Columbia	49	BCHS	46
Columbia	51	Van Rensselaer	17

The varsity basketball team, under the direction of Coach Lynch, had an irregular season. After losing seven out of the first eight games, the team came back to win seven out of the last eight. The squad ended the season in a second place tie in the Capital District League with a record of six wins and four losses.

The team was led by co-captains Paul Jordan and Larry Becker, who averaged over 15 points a game. The other members of the first string, who contributed a great deal to the success of the team, were Jack Kelley, Jack Tenker, Lucky DeWitt and Bernie Cardella. Don Covell, Bob Conlee, Bruce Babbitts, Ray Draper, Ray Hassett and Crabby Seeberger also helped the team a great deal when they were needed. Managers, Bill Sarr and Bruce Boyle, were also a great help to the team throughout the season.

The highlight of the basketball season was the second game with BCHS. We won this contest 49-46, breaking the opponent's fourteen game winning streak. The team also beat Shenendehowa and Milne twice, split with Maple Hill, Rensselaer and Guilderland, and dropped two to Hudson and Albany Academy.



Sink It, Kell!



Denour Ahead!



What Do You Think, Ref!



Norm



Coach LYNCH

VARSITY



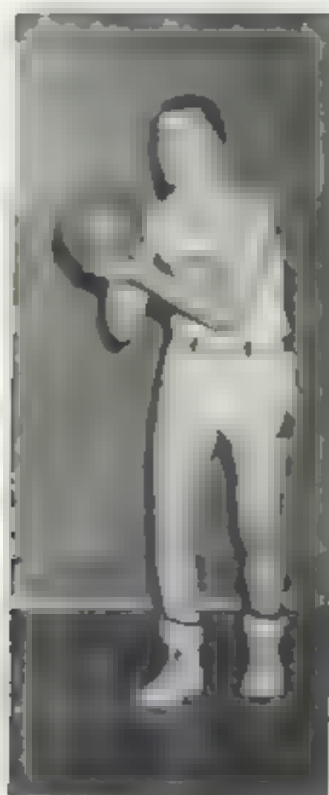
RAY



Black



PAUL



HOUNDY



VARSITY BASKETBALL



Row 1, left to right: L. Becker, Coach Lynch, P. Jordan. Row 2, left to right: B. Cardella, B. Conlee, D. Cowell, C. Seeberger, B. Bibbins, L. DeWitt, R. Draper, R. Hassett, F. Rostbrook, J. Telaska, F. Clifford.

JAYVEE BASKETBALL



Row 1, left to right: H. Verbraska, R. Blair, P. Burek, M. Conlee, R. Kasky, M. VanVoris. Row 2, left to right: J. Spaulding, M. Riggs, H. Phillips, H. Swinton, C. Seeberger, Coach Coletta.

FRESHMAN BASKETBALL



Row 1, left to right: J. Chaney, M. Casey, W. Comstock, P. Visconte, R. Bamford, W. Castledine, S. Caldwell, S. Seadick, J. Frederick. Row 2, left to right: Mr. Stearns, R. Williams, W. Gleason, J. Zelenke, R. Teaska, R. Pasatore, G. Van Schuack, B. Kowe, I. Boyle, R. Hoffman, R. Davis, C. Lazzaro, B. Sheldon.

VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

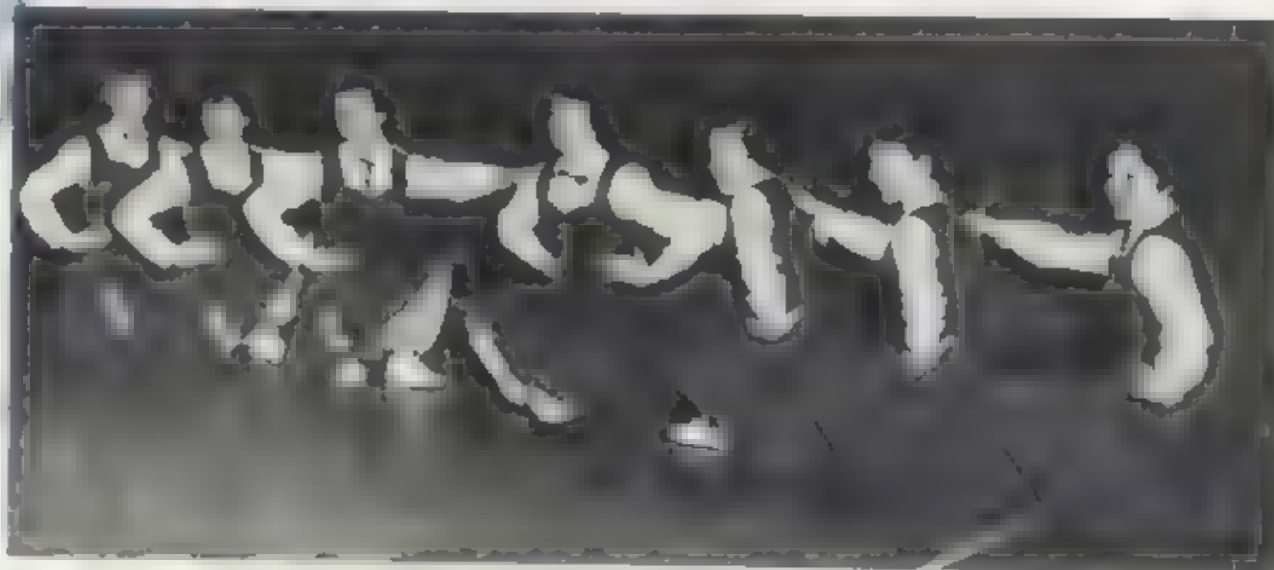


Row 1, left to right: I. Reeves, J. Patterson, M. Flynn, D. Pratt, M. [unclear]. Row 2, left to right: B. Aswad, R. Kaldahl, [unclear].

MEDIATION ???



JAYVEE CHEERLEADERS



Left to right: S. Golden, P. Figel, M. Sherman, P. Corr, M. Cain, C. Cain, G. Kunke.



Row 1 left to right: J. Kealey, J. Clifford, K. Fitzgerald, R. Bruce, I. Meyers, S. Warner, I. DeWitt
Row 2, left to right: J. Casavant, C. Leffler, P. Jordan, L. Becker, B. Bibbins, J. Teliska,

The 1956 baseball team had a very successful season finishing with seven wins and three losses. The team had an excellent pitching staff with Bruce Bibbins, who had an impressive 5-2 record and Kent Fitzgerald, who had a 2-1 record. Charles Leffler led

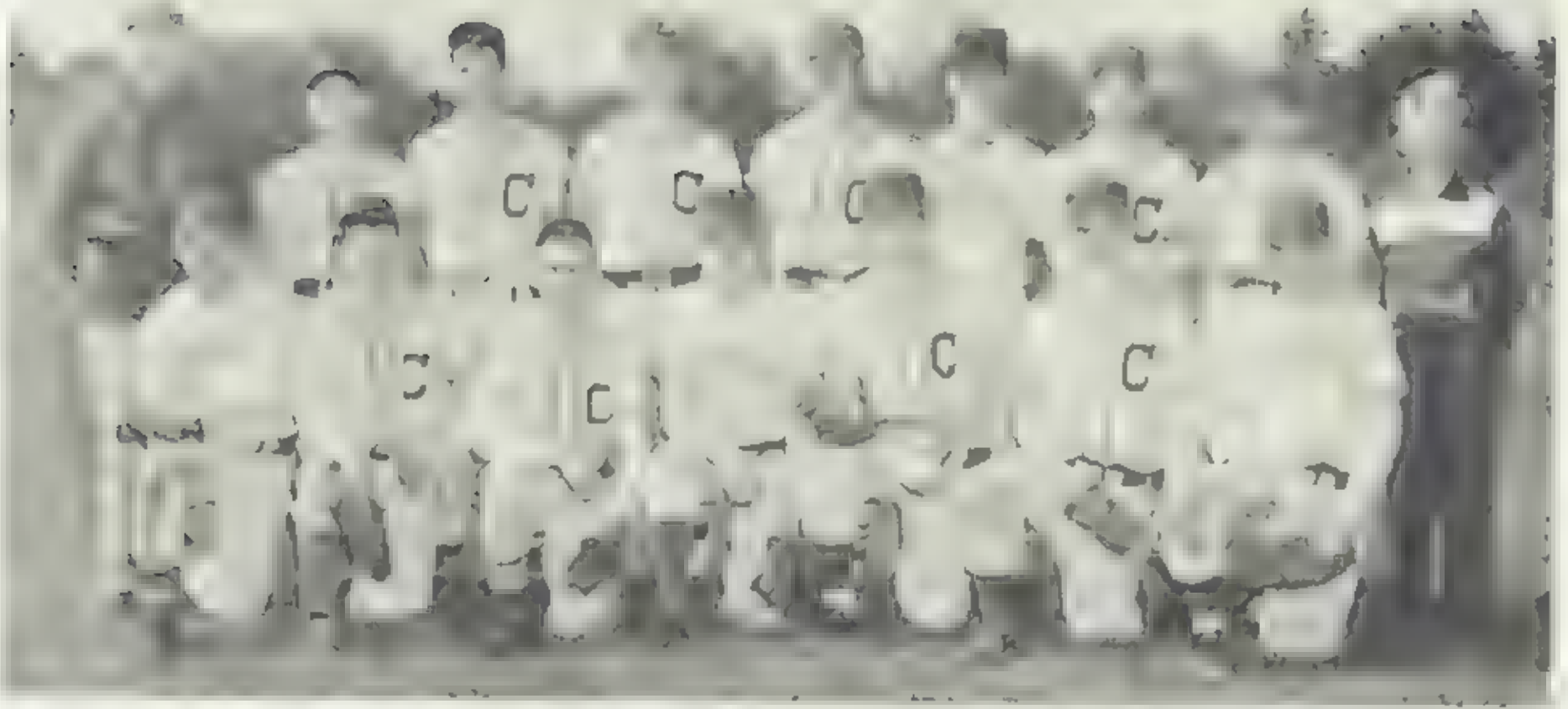
the team in hitting with a .419 batting average. Mr. Spaulding, with his able coaching, led the team to its many victories. The squad beat Hudson and Shennendehowa twice, and split with Milne, Rensselaer, and Albany Academy.



Row 1, left to right: J. Spaulding, L. Meracle, B. Sarr, F. Clifford, D. Flagg, S. Davis, M. Poppey. Row 2, left to right: M. Riggs, D. Foote, H. Swinton, H. Phillips, C. Seeberger, R. Hassett, Coach Rapenske.



FRESHMAN BASEBALL



Row 1, left to right: J. Maski, R. Hoffman, C. Seeburger, P. Carpenter, R. Draper, N. Sheldon, M. Conner. Row 2, left to right: Mr. King, L. Miller, H. Blair, P. Visconte, R. Tenska, W. Gleason, S. Caldwell, B. Spencer, L. Goldup.

TENNIS

The 1956 tennis team was one of the most successful in Columbia's history. Under the able assistance of Mr. Rees, the team broke even. The boys won four matches and lost four. The team was led

by Ed Draiss, who played first position and Pete Youngmans, who played second. The Coach anticipates an even better team in 1957 because only one member of the squad is graduating.



Left to right: W. Simmons, P. Anderson, E. Draiss, P. Youngmans, J. Belser, G. Potter.



Row 1, left to right: W. Johnson, J. Gregory, D. Adams, S. Papa, F. Baries, L. VanAlstine, G. Halsey, M. VanVoris. Row 2, left to right: R. Roberts, D. Lincoln, S. Kollack, W. Schwinning, B. Harrison, B. Dorn, G. Connolly, B. Mahlstedt, J. Wiltsie, R. Federchuck, D. Roberts. Row 3, left to right: J. Clifford, B. Luciano, O. Lanford, K. Fitzgerald, S. Dorn, D. Laurdisen, R. Jukes, G. Thompson, H. Maat, W. Loveridge.

The 1956 track season was a very successful one for Columbia High. Under the direction of Coach Budnowski, our team won three dual meets while losing only one. The team scored victories against LaSalle, Schuyler, and Albany Academy. The team was defeated by Lansingburgh. We also took first place in the Triangular Meet at Hudson where they beat B.C.H.S. and Hudson.

Columbia's track team placed third in the Eastern

Scholastic Conference, fourth in the City of Albany Championships, fourth in the State Sectionals, and fifth in the Schenectady Invitational Meet.

Many school records were broken during the 1956 track season. Howie Maat broke the 880 record with a time of 21:03. Kent Fitzgerald ran the mile in 4:53:1. Bill Hoffman broke the pole vault record with a record of 10'9".



Run! Frank Run!



Tim goes over the bar

NEW SPORTS AT COLUMBIA

SOCCER

Row 1, left to right: D. Foote, J. Spaulding, L. DeWitt, Coach Ericson, R. Hassett, B. Sarr, B. Boyle, B. Thomas. Row 2, left to right: G. Porter, D. Ransford, L. Reeves, P. Humphrey, J. Wagner, H. Swinton, D. Meppen, B. McClennan, C. Lazzaro.



CROSS COUNTRY

Row 1, left to right: S. Pusatere, R. Mahlstedt, M. Van Voris, W. Schwinning, J. Merry, R. Conlee. Row 2, left to right: R. Stark, P. Visconte, R. Rosbrook, R. Hoffman, R. Kasky, Coach Lynch

VOLLEYBALL

Row 1, left to right: L. Reeves, G. Halsey, B. Jukes, D. Laurdisen, R. Hoffman, K. Fitzgerald. Row 2, left to right: Coach Ericson, D. Ransford, B. McClennan, R. Federchuck, B. Thompson, S. Wagner, L. Miller



BOWLING

Left to right: Coach Grey, B. Clow, J. Belser, R. Letzelter, J. Gregory, B. Honn, B. Waite, E. Smith, R. Rex, V. Gush, D. Adams

SPORTS IN REVIEW



OUR VARSITY IS HERE



YEA! TEAM FIGHT!



COME ON LOCKY. SHOOT IT IN!



RECOVER THAT FUMBLE!



WAITING TO BEGIN A LONG RUN!



ANDREA



PAT



KAREN

S'
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G



MISS COSGROVE

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RENE

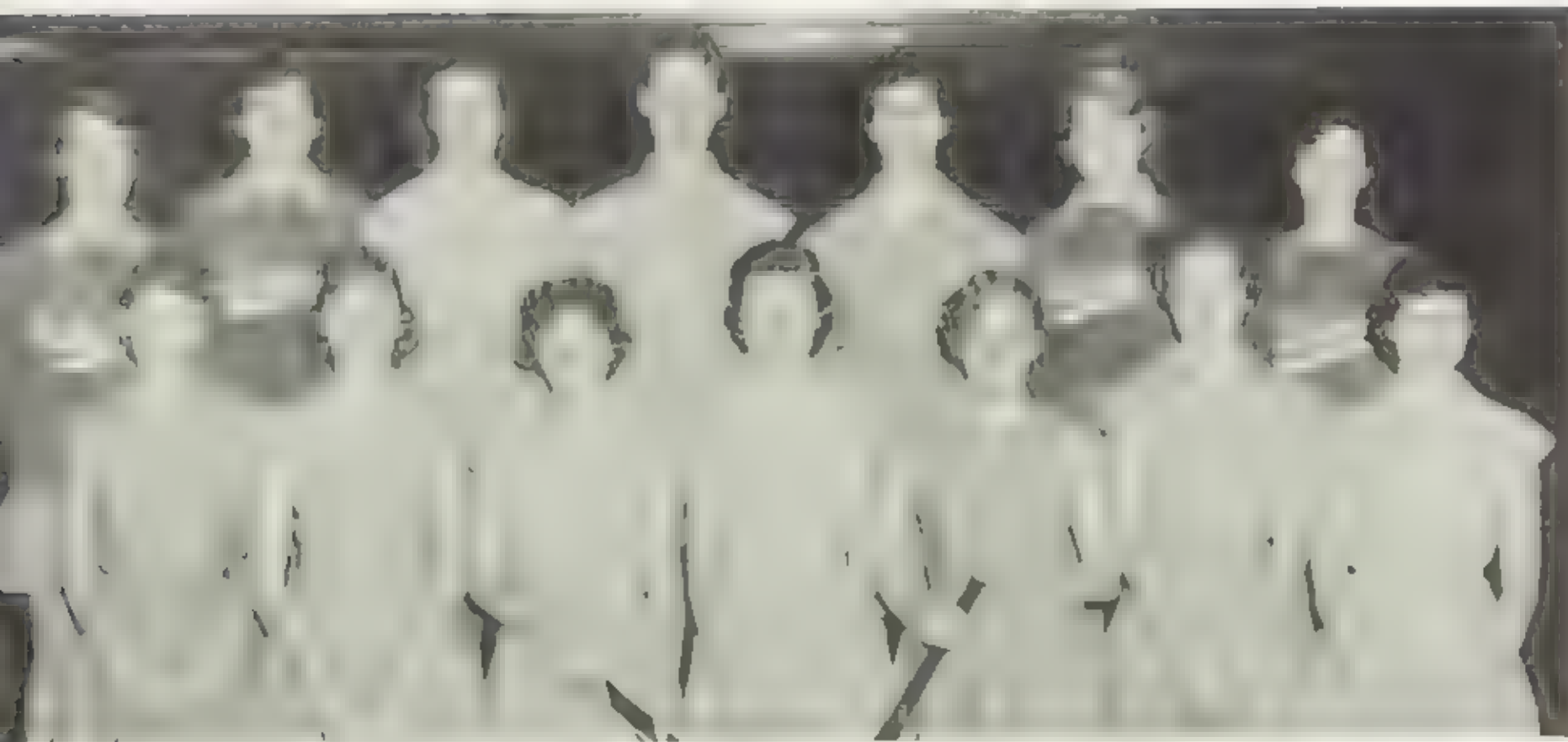


SUE



BARBARA

VARSITY HOCKEY



Row 1, left to right: K. Ferris, A. Malossi, P. Fwasco, J. Spencer, N. Minch, B. Kardos, R. Steinberg
Row 2, left to right: J. Newkirk, S. Fitzgerald, D. Platel, B. Groat, M. Sager, S. Bowen, M. Pollack

Attendance at hockey intramurals proves hockey is becoming one of Columbia's most popular girls sports. Girls are chosen for teams according to certain qualifications, namely: skill, endurance, and regular attendance at intramurals, which are usually held once a week. As is generally true, Columbia's

girls' hockey teams, both Varsity and Jayvee, saw many victories and few losses. In a hectic afternoon game the Varsity defeated their top competitor, Lansingburg 2-0. Other games included St. Agnes, 0-0, Oneida, 0-1, and B.C.H.S., 0-2.

JAYVEE HOCKEY

Row 1, left to right: S. Golden, H. Brower, J. Ostrander, D. Randolph, S. Harwood. Row 2, left to right: J. Carpinello, M. Figel, M. Matteo, M. Reeves. Row 3, left to right: C. Morey, M. Flynn, P. Corr, C. Buckley, P. Summers, C. Goldup, C. Palmer



FRESHMAN HOCKEY



Row 1, left to right: P. Packard, S. Halses, L. Matt, M. Steves, M. Sanderson, B. Budd, B. Heidelberg.
Row 2, left to right: R. Zimmerman, G. Herr, E. Cue, R. Barner, C. Nead, N. Bruins, K. Mitchell.

As seen through the eyes of Freshman hockey players, this game appears to be an entirely different sport from any other they have previously attempted. As these girls acquire the knack and skill, which make a stolid hockey player, undoubtedly, they will review the memories of their first bruise caused by another's hockey stick. Although hockey is new to these girls, they are doing quite well and

through their added efforts will inevitably improve to be ranked as one of Columbia's top hockey teams.

The Girls Varsity basketball team completed their season with a fine record of nine games won and two lost. The team's leading scorers were Carol Buckley, Maureen Flynn, and Carol Goldup. The team is to be congratulated for their all-out effort and fine display of sportsmanship.

VARSITY BASKETBALL

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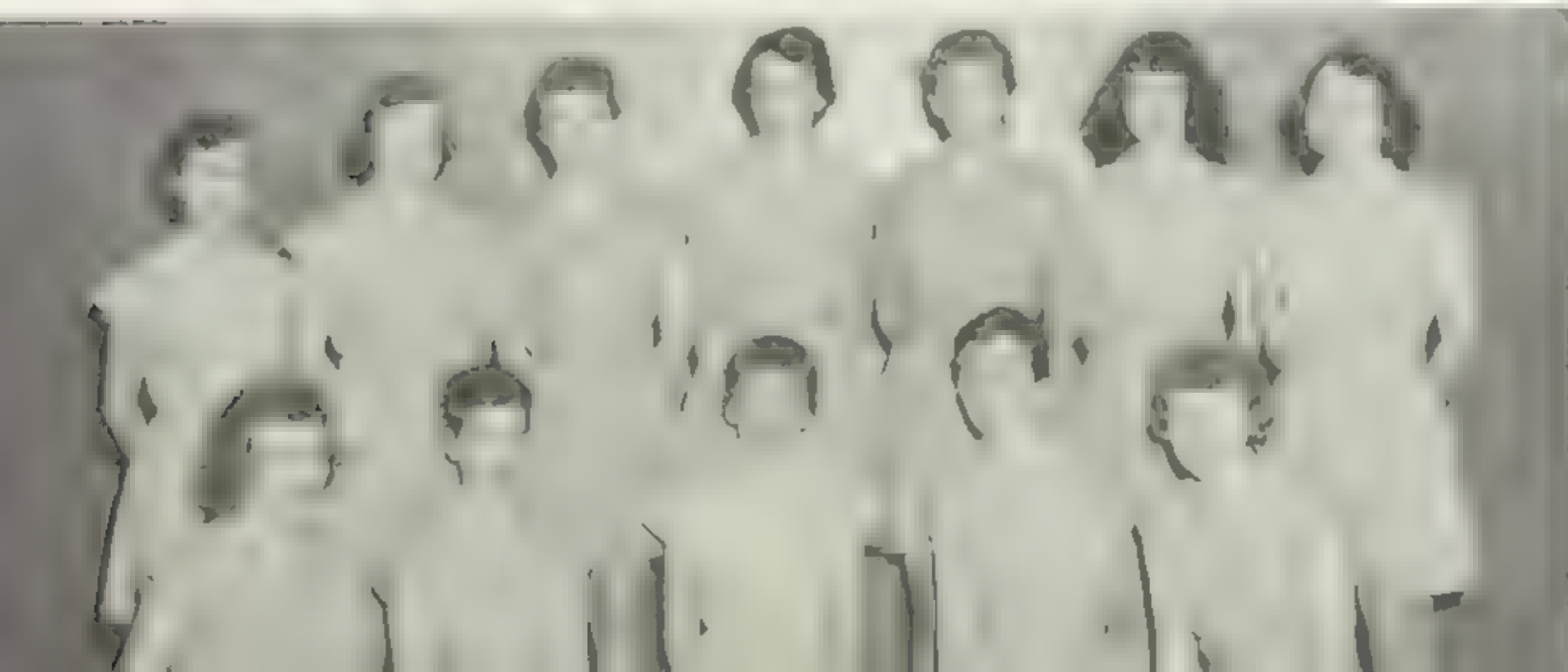
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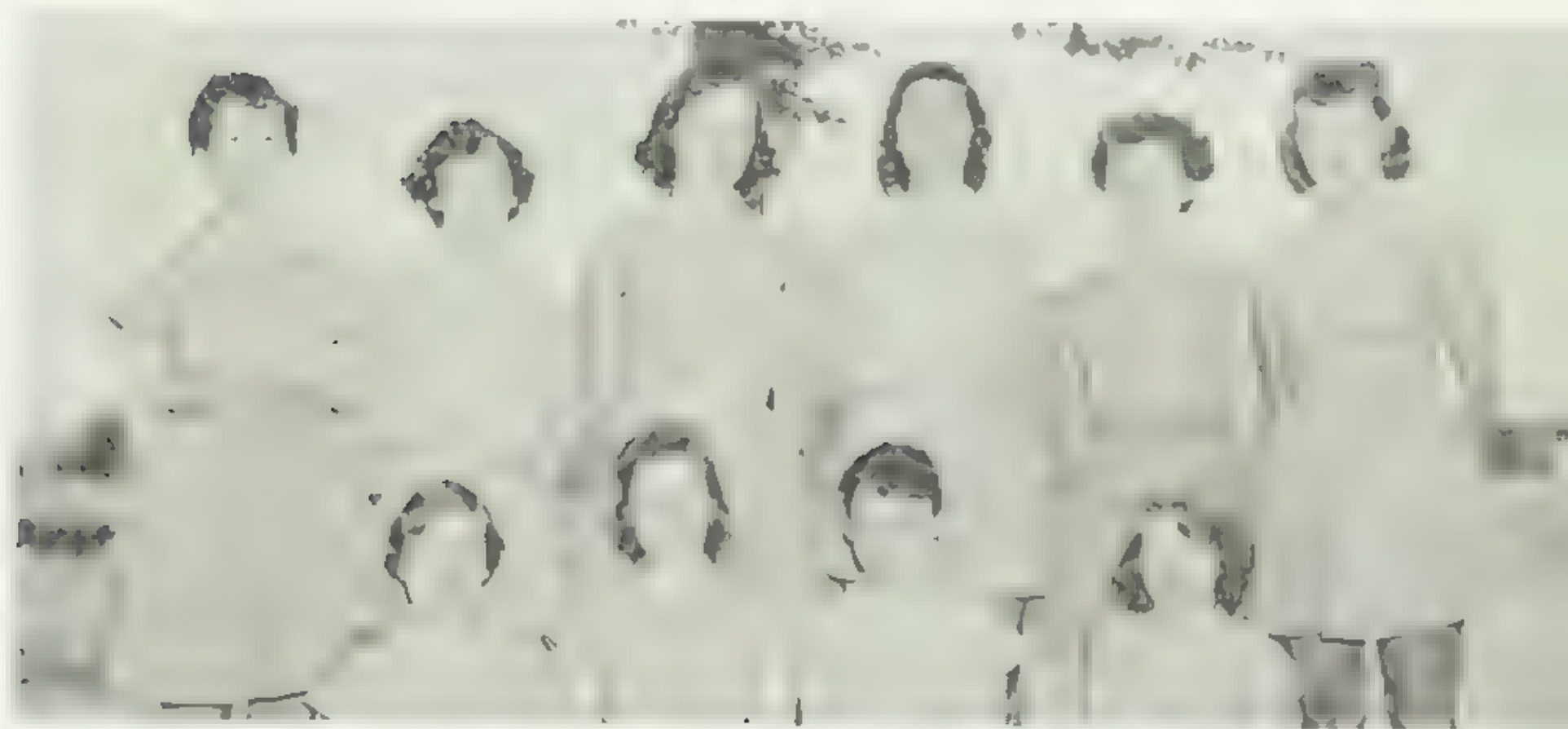
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Row 1, left to right: N. Gardell, K. Mann, J. Spencer, S. Bowen. Row 2, left to right: M. Sager, L. Edson, J. Purdy, L. Bogart, J. Thon, J. Jukes.

Success once more came to the Girls Varsity and Freshman softball teams as their season ended with only one loss for each team. Both teams participated in one playday, which was held at Columbia, and

won all games played. The Varsity team's only defeat came at the hands of Hudson, while the Freshman lost a game to Oneida.

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Row 1, left to right: P. Maska, D. Kentzel, G. Kanke, H. Brower, B. Goldread. Row 2, left to right: C. Morey, G. Saulpaugh, J. Smith, B. Coxon, J. Holstein, P. Ostrander.



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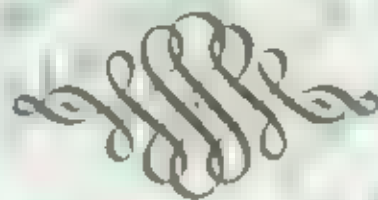
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